#### Today's Weather

Prince Rupert Overcast, 100, temperature, 46; sea moderat.

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# FISHERMEN MISSING ON WEST COAST

## BRITISH MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS ARE BEING HELD TODAY

### Captain James Lawler and Jas. Thomas Are Lost From Fish Packer

Have Not Been Seen Since Chuckwalla, Belonging to B. C. Packers, Stranded Near Ahousat, Vancouver Island; Engineer Manages to Reach Shore

AHOUSAT, Vancouver Island, Nov. 1: (CP)-Capt. Morris Lawler and James Thomas of the packer Chuckwalla, owned by the British Columbia Packers, are missing and the vessel is beached near here after having run ashore ast night on a reef on the south side of Blunden Island. Carl Smith, engineer of the craft, was washed overboard with the dinghy and managed to reach shore safely.

#### New York Stock Exchange Quiet

Another Dull Day Yesterday With Small Turnover and Narrow Price Fluctuations

NEW YORK, Nov. 1:- There was he New York Stock Exchange, yeserday when only 420,000 shares changed hands. Only narrow changes marked price fluctuations. The industrial average at closing was 93.36, up .31; rails, 34.78, off .01; utilities, 19.17, up .04, and bonds, 93.26, off .21,

#### FLIERS NEAR ENGLAND NOW

Jones and Waller Spend Night at Athens and Expected to Take Off Today for London

ATHENS, Nov. 1:-- Their chances of beating the existing speed record for a flight between Australia and England almost dissipated, Cathcart Jones and Ken Waller, returning to England from Melbourne after participating in the recent air derby, were grounded here last night, impatiently waiting to take off at dawn today for London.

#### Murray Humphreys Is In Penitentiary

One Time First Lieutenant of Al Capone Enters Leavenworth to Start Serving Term

LEAVENWORTH, Nov. 1:-Murray Humphreys, one time first lieutenant of Al Capone, Chicago gangster leader, entered Leavenworth Penitentiary yesterday to start serving a sentence of eighteen months' imprisonment for income tax evasion. The penitentiary term was imposed a few days ago in addition to a fine of \$5000.

#### Alberta Hears **Election Talk**

Contest Expected Despite Premier's Statement to

that there will be no poll this year, silver price was 53c.

#### Today's Stocks

Vancouver

Alexandria, .0158. Bayview, .011/2. B. C. Nickel, .36. Big Missouri, .31. Bradian, 1.80. Bralorne, 12.15. B. R. Cons., .07. B. R. X. Gold, .19. Cariboo Quartz, 1.02. Dentonia, .32. Dunwell, .16. Golconda, .27. Hercules Cons., .02. Indian, .01. Minto, .151/2. Meridian, .09. Morning Star, .11. National Silver, .031/2. Noble Five, .07. Porter Idaho, .08. Premier, 1.26. Reward, .05. Reno. .95. Silver Crest, .011/2. Salmon Gold, .101/2. Taylor Bridge, .25. Wayside, .07. Whitewater, .041/2.

Toronto

Waverly Tangier, .003/4.

United Empire, .11.

Central Patricia, .91. Chibougamau, .0734. Lee Gold, .08. Granada, .28. Inter. Nickel, 22.25. Macassa, 2.50. Noranda, 31.25. Sherritt, .46. Sisco, 2.54. Thompson Cadillac, .31. Ventures, .321/2. Teck Hughes, 3.95. Sudbury Basin, 1.10. Columario, .21. Smelter Gold, .22. Little Long Lac, 5.25. Can. Malartic, .51. Astoria Rouyn, .04. Stadacona, .28. Maple Leaf, .13 1-3. Pickle Crow, 1.60. Long Lac Lagoon .16. Manitoba & Eastern, .221/2.

A. P. Con., .07. Amalgamated, .0634. C. & E. .57. Dalhousie, .22. Freehold, .06. Home Oil, .47. Merland, .20. Mar Jon, .08.

United, .03.

NEW YORK METALS

mors of an early election in Alberta cal metal market yesterday. Copper tish pound sterling closed at \$4.9834 + state religious body of the + howing several more by the time all this evening on the Prince George revived despite the recent was unchanged at 9c per pound on the local foreign exchange marstatement of Premier R. G. Reid while lead closed at 3.7c. Today's ket yesterday and the Canadian

#### As Mrs. Piccard Became Fair Stratosphere Pioneer





Drifting more than 200 miles from their Detroit take-off, Dr. Jean Piccard and his wife, Jeannette, as assistant pilot, sent their balloon soaring 10 miles into the stratosphere, during the first flight ever attempted by a woman, before their gondola dropped into a wood near Cadiz, O. Left, shows Mrs. Piccard leaning out of the aluminum car for cameramen after her lofty adventure; right, a view of the silk bag hanging from the trees.

#### United States Flatly Refuses Parity to Japan

LONDON, Nov. 1:-United States flatly refused at the preliminary naval conference conversations yesterday to agree to Japan's demand for equality in strength of sea forces with United States and Great Bri-

Premier J. Ramsay MacDonald has invited Japanese delegates to confer with him at the end of the week with a view to reaching, if possible, some compromise arrangement acceptable to the three pow-

#### Hauptmann Is Still Hopeful

Thinks He Can Convince "Jafsie" Condon That He Was Not Man Who Received Ransom

FLEMINGTON, N.J., Nov. 1:-Bruno Hauptmann, in Hunterdon County Jail here awaiting trial on charges of kidnapping and murdering Charles Augustus Lindbergh jr., still clings to the hope that Dr. J. F. (Jafsie) Condon may yet clear him. Hauptmann expressed confidence yesterday that he could convince Condon that he (Hauptmann) was & ARCHBISHOP MULLER not the man to whom the \$50,000 ransom money was paid by Condon in the Bronx cemetery. Condon was reported a few days ago to have definitely identified Hauptmann as the man to whom he paid the money.

Pound Sterling and Canadian Dollar New York Exchange

#### CANADA WHEAT Defence Motion PRICE PEGGED

Winnipeg Grain Exchange Acts In Response to Recommendation of MacFarland

WINNIPEG. Nov. 1:-Wheat future prices on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange are pegged, effective today, at not less than 75c per bushel for December and 80c for May, the action being announced following the recommendation of John I. MacFarland, general manager of the central sales agency of the Canadian Wheat Pool, after conferences with the federal government, requesting control of the Canadian wheat price.

Mr. MacFarland said that there was evidence that the Winnipeg General Johnson market was still the target of interests foreign to the wheat producers of Western Canada.

Elevator companies will be able to operate normally at these prices, it is felt.

Prices reacted to the announcement by dropping sharply both here and at Chicago yesterday, December closing at 75c, the peg price, and May at 797sc. Chicago prices dropped as much as 11/2c.

RESIGNS AS LEADER OF GERMAN CHURCH &

BERLIN, Nov. 1:- The grow- + + ing wave in favor of a free + + church in Germany which has 4 + gained in intensity since Pre- + + sident Adolf Hitler dropped his + + plan for state domination of +

# For Freeing Of

CHICAGO, Nov. 1:-Judge James . Wilkerson in Federal Court here yesterday refused a petition of defence for a direction of the jury to return a verdict of not guilty in the case in which Samuel Insull and ixteen co-defendants are charged vith using the mails to defraud

The defence, therefore, being required to present its case, Floyd Thompson, chief defence counsel, sons were killed yesterday when a announced Insull himself would bomb was exploded in the Casa take the stand today to tell his ver- Grande. Havana's largest departsion of how his utilities enterprises ment store. The bombing is believed crashed under the depression.

## Enters Hospital

Former N. R. A. Director Receiving Treatment For Infected Foot; Not Serious

NEW YORK, Nov. 1:-General Hugh S. Johnson, until recently director of the National Recovery Act, entered hospital here yesterday to receive treatment for an insected foot. His condition is not ser-

#### \* CHANCELLOR IS WINNING

Von Schuschnigg's Storm Troopers Victorious in Austrian Elections

religious worship culminated + or Kurt von Schuschnigg's Catholic by Premier L. A. Taschereau. \* yesterday in the resignation of \* Storm Troopers were leading last, Archbishop Ludvig Muller, + night in the returns of the Austrian + head of the Nazi Church, + elections, having already won 20; EDMONTON, Nov. 1: (CP)—Ru- closed at 5234c per ounce on the lo- NEW YORK, Nov. 1:—The Bri- which was to have been the but of 49 seats with prospects of Mr. and Mrs. Olof Hanson will sail • break about even on the balance. north via Bella Coola.

### Borough Voting Taken As Barometer Showing How Winds May Blow

Clash Today of Laborites and Conservatives of Significance With Respect to Next National Contest; Some Observers Expecting More Labor Gains

LONDON, Nov. 1: (CP)-Laborites and Conservatives clashed today in nation-wide municipal elections involving more than four hundred borough councils in England and Wales. The results are expected to prove a fair barometer of the way political winds may blow in respect to the next general election. Many experienced observers believe that Labor may make further gains.

#### "SMITHY" TO FLY FRIDAY

Australian Ace Expects to Hop From Honolulu to Oakland

Tomorrow

HONOLULU, Nov. 1:-Sir Charles Kingsford-Smith has definitely set noon Friday as the time of his delast leg of his trans-Pacific flight. First Lord of the Admiralty, denied By that time storms which have been blowing down out of Alaska during the past few days are expected to have passed over. Kingsford-Smith is able to get Insull is Denied Kingsford-Smith is able to get away at noon Friday, he should reach Oakland early Saturday casions been higher than had been morning, possibly about 7 a.m.

#### Three Killed In Bombing of Large Store in Havana the Admiralty.

HAVANA, Nov. 1:-Three per- World's Fair At to have been the work of anti- Century of Progress Exposition government terrorists.

### National Foreign Trade Conference

Fiorella LaGuardia welcomed dele- cess of 40,000,000 persons. gates yesterday at the opening of the National Foreign Trade Conference. Secretary of Commerce Roper was also a speaker following the mayor.

## Cuebec House To

Date of Legislature Session is Announced by Premier Taschereau

QUEBEC, Nov. 1: (CP)-The Quebec Legislature will meet on Janu-VIENNA, Nov. 1: (CP)-Chancel- ary 8, it was announced yesterday

M. P. GOING SOUTH

ppposition groups will probably turn in about two weeks, coming

#### CHARGES OF FAVORITISM ARE DENIED

LONDON, Nov. 1: (CP)-Answering charges arising out of the recent United States Senate probe on armament manufacture of the nations, Sir Bolton Eyres Monsell, that there had been favoritism in the granting of contracts by the If government for building of submarines to certain shipbuilding concerns. In fact, declared Sir Bol-Iton, expenditures had on some ocestimated in order that the work might be spread around among various yards.

> A full independent inquiry into letting of contracts for naval construction would be welcomed by his department, said the First Lord of

## Chicago Closed

Came to End Last Night After Two Year Stand

CHICAGO, Nov. 1:- The Century of Progress Exposition came to a close last night with the attendance for this year having passed the 16,-000,000 mark during the day in spite Opens in Gotham of rainy and unpleasant weather. The total attendance for the two NEW YORK, Nov. 1:-Mayor years of the World's Fair was in ex-

> + BENNETT HAS LAST WORD FOR STEVENS

OTTAWA, Nov. 1: (CP)-Is- + + suing a brief reply last night + + to the latest statement of Hon. + + H. H. Stevens in regard to the + Meet in January + latter's resignation as minister + + of trade and commerce and + + chairman of the mass buying + + and price spreads committee, + A Premier R. B. Bennett express-+ ed the opinion that no useful + + purpose would be served by + + continuing the correspondence + + on the subject. Mr. Bennett + + again pointed out that the way + + had been left open for Mr. + + Stevens to clear the matter up + + without resigning from the + \* government had he cared to do \*