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Today's Weather

Prince Rupert—Raining, moderate variable wind; barometer, 29.94; temperature, 54; light chop

The Daily News

NORTHERN AND CENTRAL BRITISH COLUMBIA'S NEWSPAPER

Tomorrow's Tides

High	0:40 a.m.	22.2 ft.
	13:39 p.m.	19.3 ft.
Low	7:27 a.m.	1.1 ft.
	19:27 p.m.	7.2 ft.

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VANCOUVER MAN IS SHOT TO DEATH

PROMINENT CANADIANS GIVEN KING'S BIRTHDAY HONORS

Beatty and Marler New Knights; Royal Favors Extend to Many Fields

Completely Recovered From Cold, His Majesty Rides With His Four Sons and Receives Great Ovation From His Loyal Subjects in London

LONDON, June 3: (CP)—Tokens of royal favor in varying degrees were awarded by the King on his birthday today to many of his subjects throughout the Empire who have attained distinction in different fields. One viscount, three privy councillors, six new barons and forty-six new knighthoods were included in the list. Canada received nine knighthoods and promotions to higher ranks of knighthoods.

Canadian honors included Knight of the Grand Cross of the Order of St. Michael and St. George to Rt. Hon. Sir William Thomas White, former minister of finance, a promotion; Knight of the Grand Cross of the Order of the British Empire to Edward Wentworth Beatty, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway; Order of St. Michael and St. George to Hon. Herbert M. Marler, Canadian minister to Japan. Mr. Beatty and Mr. Marler are now entitled to use the prefix "Sir."

Major General Ashton of Esquimalt is made a Companion of the Order of the Bath.

Dr. R. E. McKechnie of Vancouver is made a Commander of the Order of the British Empire.

The Order of Merit was conferred upon John Mansfield, Poet Laureate.

His Majesty is Better

Recovered from a chill contracted last Thursday, the King, astride a horse, rode with his four sons at the head of a column of crack cavalry and foot soldiers today in the ancient ceremony of trooping the colors as a mark of the completion of his Biblical span of three score years and ten. From all sides came cries of "God Bless You, Sir," "Many Happy Returns" and "Long May You Live."

Queen Mary and all other members of the Royal Family were present at noon when servants of the Royal Household dusted off champagne bottles to drink the usual toast to His Majesty.

Now "Sir Edward"

E. W. Beatty, K.C., president of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

Customs Revenue In May is Almost Five Year Record

Customs and excise collections at the port of Prince Rupert for the month of May this year amounting to $28,435.76 nearly reached the mark of $29,674.26 of last November which was the high record since 1929. This May's total compared with $10,319.54 in the same month last year and brought aggregate collections for this calendar year to date up to $75,730 as compared with $87,002.79 for the first five months of 1934.

EARTHQUAKE VICTIMS CREMATED IN PILES; FORTY THOUSAND DEAD

QUETTA, India, June 3:—To prevent the outbreak of pestilence, bodies of victims of last week's terrible earthquake disaster were being cremated in huge piles at the week-end. One out of every fourteen inhabitants of this district was, it is believed, killed. Another violent tremor, accompanied by volcanic disturbance, rocked the district yesterday. Estimate of the dead has now been increased to 40,000 including 57 members of the Royal Air Force. It is believed that there are twenty thousand dead in ruins which are being dynamited to prevent disease. Martial law has been declared.

Weather This Year Better

Precipitation Less Than One-Third Of 1934 While Sunshine Is Greater

Prince Rupert has had an even 500 hours of sunshine so far this year as compared with 438 hours in the first five months of 1934. The precipitation for 1935 up to the end of May has been 16.06 inches as against 47.39 inches in the corresponding period last year. Sunshine this May amounting to a total of 134.9 hours compared with 128.4 hours in the same month a year ago while this May's rainfall was 1.78 inches in comparison with 5.8 inches last year.

Vancouver Wheat

VANCOUVER, June 3: (CP)—Wheat was quoted at 80¼c on the local exchange Saturday. The market was closed today.

Roosevelt Holds Huge Crowd Spellbound

Interest shown by masses in all countries toward political developments as an economically depressed world struggles desperately to regain its lost poise, is evidenced by huge crowds which gather everywhere when present-day government heads appear in public. Reich-president Adolph Hitler, who apparently holds the future of Germany and possibly the peace of Europe in the hollow of his hand, recently addressed the largest single crowd in history when 2,000,000 people crushed together in Berlin to hear the flaming oratory of the ex-corporal who sways German throngs into a fever of passionate nationalism with his uttrances. Above is part of the 240,000 people who listened to President Roosevelt at Green Bay, Wis.

MANHUNT IS CONTINUING

Authorities Certain That Abductors Of George Weyerhauser Will Be Captured

TACOMA, June 3: (CP)—The hectic manhunt for the kidnappers of nine-year old George Weyerhauser is continuing unremittingly following the safe return of the lad to his parents at the week-end after the ransom of $200,000 had been paid. Despite the continuous search, however, the kidnappers are still at large, but early success in apprehending the abductors is anticipated, particularly in view of the fact that the identity of three of them seems practically certain. Also the money paid in ransom was marked, it has been disclosed, and the numbers of the banknotes kept.

Intensive search is being made in Eastern Oregon following reports that six men, driving furiously, were sighted late Saturday east of Umatilla.

Young Weyerhauser has told the authorities that the three men who picked him up and kept him in captivity for a week called each other "Alvin," "Bill" and "Harry." These are the first names of well known members of the Karpis gang.

Volney Davis, one of the members of the Karpis gang, was arrested in Chicago yesterday, it was announced here.

KETCHIKAN FISH SALES

KETCHIKAN, June 3—The North Pole sold 7000 pounds of halibut here on Saturday to the New England Fish Co. at 6c and 4.5c. Salmon was selling at 7.5c and 3c.

BAR SILVER

NEW YORK, June 3: (CP)—Bar silver closed at 74c per ounce on the local metal market on Saturday, dropping to 73⅜c today.

Funeral Notice

The funeral of the late Odd Langlo will take place tomorrow at 2 o'clock from the B. C. Undertakers.

King's Birthday

George V who is seventy years old today.

Baseball Scores

SATURDAY'S SCORES

National League

St. Louis 4-4, Chicago 3-1 (first game, 12 innings).
Philadelphia 4-3, Brooklyn 8-0.
New York-Boston, postponed.

American League

Boston 6-2, New York 0-4.
Chicago 5, Detroit 4.
Washington 0-3, Philadelphia 5-7.
Cleveland 3-4, St. Louis 7-2.

SUNDAY'S SCORES

National League

St. Louis 6, Chicago 5.
Pittsburg 8, Cincinnati 0.
Philadelphia 7, Brooklyn 5.
New York 0, Boston 2.

American League

Washington 7, Philadelphia 8.
Boston 2, New York 7.
Cleveland 6, St. Louis 2.
Chicago 5, Detroit 10.

HALF MILLION COAL MINERS IN STATES MAY GO ON STRIKE

WASHINGTON, D.C., June 3:—Official instructions to 460,000 soft coal miners to strike June 16 unless new wage contracts are signed in the meantime were issued on Saturday by the United Mine Workers of America through the president, John L. Lewis.

GRADS ARE CHAMPIONS

Defeat Tulsa Stenographers to Retain Women's International Basketball Title

EDMONTON, June 3: (CP)—The Edmonton Commercial Grads defeated Tulsa Stenographers 43 to 40 Saturday night to retain the international women's basketball title. They won three games and lost one.

Building Volume Increasing Here

One New Residence and Program Of General Repairs Included In May List

Volume of building in Prince Rupert during May showed an increase over the first four months of the year as well as over the same month last year. The total value was $3466 as compared with $1375 in the same month last year, bringing the total value for this year to date to $11,151 in comparison with $49,200 last year.

The building list for May in detail was as follows:

G. P. Tinker & Co., general repairs, Fifth Avenue East, $125.

Mrs. Willaim Wain, general repairs to residence, Ninth Avenue East, $35.

W. King, general repairs to residence, Ambrose Avenue, $100.

F. A. Cameron, erect residence, Sherbrooke Avenue, $800.

Mrs. M. Gibson, general repairs, Seventh Avenue East, $250.

Alex McRae Co. Ltd., repairing wall, Second Avenue, $125.

W. J. Alder, repairing residence, Second Avenue, $800.

D. Zille, renewing store front, Third Avenue West, $100.

J. E. Moody, shingling wall, Empress Block, Second Avenue, $81.

Ben Ferguson, general repairs, Third Avenue West, $200.

Dr. W. T. Kergin, shingling wall, Second Avenue West, $50.

W. H. Wilson-Murray, repairing foundation, Bowser Street, $250.

J. A. Lindsay, shingling shed, Park Avenue, $50.

M. Bidoczka, foundation repairs, Ninth Avenue West, $500.

Proprietor of Cordova Street Rooming House Is Slain Sunday Night

John Robertson Victim of Unknown Assailant Following Struggle in Room—Large Sum of Money In Pockets is Untouched

VANCOUVER, June 3: (CP)—John Robertson, aged 54, proprietor of a Cordova Street rooming house, was fatally shot last night by an unknown assailant. He was found lying at the foot of a stairway leading to the rooms and died a few minutes later. Robertson's room was in disorder, indicating a struggle. A large sum of money in his pockets was untouched.

Fish Landings In May of This Year

Volume of Halibut Totalled 1,868,000 Pounds as Compared With 2,036,000 a Year Ago

Halibut landings at the port of Prince Rupert for the month of May this year, according to figures compiled on the local waterfront, totalled 1,808,000 pounds as compared with 2,036,000 pounds in the same month last year. The American landings for the month just ended were 923,000 pounds as against 1,135,000 last year while this May's Canadian landings amounted to 885,000 pounds in comparison with 901,000 pounds.

Halibut Arrivals

Summary

American—146,000 pounds, 6.1c and 5c to 6.8c and 5c.

Canadian—25,000 pounds, 5.7c and 5c to 6c and 5c.

American

Yukon, 25,000, Pacific, 6.1c and 5c.

Tatoosh, 24,000, Atlin, 6.3c and 5c.

Tahoma, 20,000, Cold Storage, 6.4c and 5c.

Fremont, 13,500, Atlin, 6.6c and 5c.

Chum, 12,000, Atlin, 6.8c and 5c.

Rainier, 12,000, and Howard B., 13,500, Royal, 6.6c and 5c.

'Frisco, 15,000, Cold Storage, 6.7c and 5c.

Wabash, 4,500, Booth, 6.7c and 5c.

Brothers, 16,500, Booth, 6.4c and 5c.

Canadian

North Forland, 4,000, Cold Storage, 5.7c and 5c.

Teeny Milly, 14,000, Cold Storage, 5.9c and 5c.

Cape, Race, 7,000, Atlin, 6c and 5c.

JR. MOOSE OFFICERS

Organization of Lodge Completed; Robert Elkins is Dictator

The Junior Moose Lodge has completed organization in Prince Rupert and Saturday night elected and installed officers as follows:

Dictator—Robert Elkins.
Vice-Dictator, Maurice Davey.
Prelate, James Schubert.
Treasurer, Robert Erikson.
Sergeant-at-Arms, James Greer.
Inner Guard, Robert Houston.
Outer Guard, William Hale.
Trustees, Harley Lear and Eric Berner.

RECORD IS SHATTERED

Great French Liner Normandie In New York After Lowering Two Speed Marks

NEW YORK, June 3: (CP)—The giant new French liner Normandie arrived here early this morning, establishing a new record for the run from Southampton to New York of 107 hours and 33 minutes, beating the previous record held by the German liner Bremen by almost three hours.

The Normandie also lowered the previous hourly speed record for a trans-Atlantic liner by logging 748 knots from noon Saturday to noon Sunday for an average of 29.92 knots per hour against the Italian liner Rex's record of 27.36 knots.

150 DEAD IN FLOOD

Fifteen Hundred Homeless in Republican River Valley—$12,000,000 Damage

McCOOK, Neb., June 3: (CP)—Thirty-five bodies were taken from the flood-swept Republican River Valley in Southern Nebraska today.

The death list as a result of the week-end floods is now placed at 140 with 1500 people homeless and property loss is placed at $12,000,000.

ROBERT BAIRD DIES

VICTORIA, June 3: (CP)—Robert Baird, deputy minister of municipal afafirs and inspector of municipalities for the provincial government, died at the Royal Provincial Jubilee Hospital yesterday after lingering ill-health. He was 59 years of age.

DOMINION TO AID BUILDING HOUSES

OTTAWA, June 3: (CP)—Hon. W. A. Gordon, minister of labor, placed on the order paper of the House of Commons on Saturday a resolution presaging the introduction of a bill to establish a Dominion Housing Commission and to assist in the construction of houses.