

Today's Weather (8 A.M.)

Prince Rupert—Clear, light northerly wind; barometer, 30.02; temperature, 37; sea smooth.

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Tomorrow's Tides

High 1:40 a.m. 21.5 ft. 13:36 p.m. 24.0 ft. Low 7:35 a.m. 5.5 ft. 20:19 p.m. 0.4 ft.

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GENERAL MARINE STRIKE IS NOW ON

MURDER CONVICTIONS ARE UPHeld Marine Workers Called Off Jobs to Number Of Thirty-Seven Thousand

Canada Supreme Court Confirms Sentences Of Death on Four B.C. Men

Richardson, Eneas and Alex George, Canford Indians, And Charles Russell, Vancouver Bank Bandits, Lose in Fight For Life

OTTAWA, Oct. 30: (CP)—Appeals of four men convicted of murder in British Columbia courts were dismissed today by the Supreme Court of Canada. The men are Richardson, Eneas and Alex George, three Indian brothers convicted of murdering Dominion Constable F. H. Gisbourne at Canford Indian Reserve, and Charles Russell, convicted of the murder of William Hobbs, Vancouver bank teller. The court did not pass judgment on Earl Dunbar, convicted with Russell.

Halibut Arrivals

American Yukon, 13,000, Cold Storage, 8.6c and 7.5c. Canadian Sea Maid, 24,000, Cold Storage, 7.7c and 6.5c. Oslo, 12,000, Atlin, 7.6c and 6.5c.

DOLLAR IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Oct. 30: (CP)—The Canadian dollar closed at a premium of 1-16c on the New York foreign exchange market yesterday.

Argentina Dumps Old Wheat; Mart Shows Reaction

WINNIPEG, Oct. 30: (CP)—Reports of Argentina putting large quantities of old crop on the market yesterday caused a marked decline in wheat prices both here and in Chicago. Winnipeg prices fell back from 2 1/2c to 2 1/4c with October closing at \$1.09 1/2. The Chicago prices dropped 1/2c to 1 1/4c with December closing at \$1.14 3/4.

AIRPLANES ONLY MODERN FEATURE OF SPAIN'S WAR

Fighting Mostly Guerilla Pot Shooting With Weapons Of Old Vintage and Ancient Shells Falling as Duds

FRANCO-SPANISH FRONTIER, Oct. 30: (CP)—Guerilla warfare is the rule throughout the Spanish conflict and the battles are little different from those of a century ago. Anyone who tells you Spain is the proving ground for the next "world war" simply hasn't seen a battle. Radio stations announce hundreds of thousands of men locked in combat with the latest equipment—but the radio stations are the only ones in Spain who think so. Many of the "modern arms" shipped into Spain from foreign countries are old stocks, swept out of arsenals at bargain prices. Field guns, constructed at the Spanish works at Oviedo, date from 1905. Shells are often more than 30 years old and fail to explode for that very reason. Only the airplanes are new and pilots fail to make the most of them. During the bombardments of Irun, for example, more than 50 projectiles were dumped into the Bidasoa River or onto the

WEATHER WAS BAD

But Mollison Hopped Off From Newfoundland Yesterday And Made It

Smashed Record

British Aviator Accomplished Aim Of Making New Mark For Atlantic Crossing

HARBOR GRACE, Nfld., Oct. 30: (CP)—The hop-off of Captain James Mollison from here at 3:40 Eastern Standard Time yesterday afternoon in continuation of his projected speed flight across the Atlantic Ocean from New York to London was in spite of adverse weather reports but thirteen hours and thirteen minutes later he arrived safely at Croydon, England, after the 2100-mile hop. He landed at Croydon at 9:53 a.m. Greenwich time (1:53 a.m. Pacific Standard time).

It was Mollison's fourth Atlantic crossing but the first time that London, as the eastern goal, had been reached without a forced landing enroute.

Mollison left Harbor Grace so hurriedly at 3:40 yesterday afternoon that he neglected to clear the customs, thereby making himself liable to a fine. He had hoped to cover the distance in ten hours.

His estranged wife, Amy Johnson, was not on hand to welcome him when he landed this time but from the country, where she is recuperating from the effects of the recent plane trail-out crash, she sent a telegram of congratulations.

Only a dozer, spectators welcomed the near-exhausted flier who shattered all records for Atlantic crossings with 19 hours and 59 minutes from New York to London. He plans only a few days rest before attempting to break the record to South Africa.

PECULIAR SITUATION

Ontario Youth Admits Killing Of Grandfather After Being Acquitted

WALKERTON, Ont., Oct. 30: (CP)—Earl Leffler, aged 19, who two years ago was acquitted on a charge of murdering his 65-year old grandfather, Philip Stroh, has confessed that he accidentally killed his grandfather with an axe during a quarrel. He cannot be tried again for murder unless a crown appeal for a new trial were granted. The crown did not appeal his acquittal.

Leffler is being held in Bruce County jail after pleading guilty to creating a public nuisance by accusing his grandmother of the slaying. The new charge carries a maximum possible sentence of life imprisonment.

Oriental Plants For Stanley Park

VANCOUVER, Oct. 30: (CP)—Two hundred rare Oriental plants and shrubs, transported here for the Chinese village, a feature of Vancouver's Golden Jubilee program, have been donated to Stanley Park for permanent planting. The federal department of agriculture granted permission for the transfer provided the roots were cleaned of their native soil and properly fumigated.

Bishop Rix Expects to See Highway Completed Shortly From Vanderhoof Into Peace

The highway from the Peace River has been located by surveyors to connect with the road now being constructed from Fort St. James northward and, before very long, it seems as if the Peace River country will be connected with the Canadian National Railway at Vanderhoof, according to Right Rev. G. A. Rix, Bishop of Caledonia. In an address to the Rotary Club at a weekly luncheon in the Commodore Cafe yesterday.

The Bishop told of having spent a month in the Peace River district this year and of the huge crops harvested there averaging about 35 bushels to the acre and running up to fifty bushels. He also pictured the situation with the large trucks filled with grain coming into the elevators at Dawson Creek and other points, most of it grading "No. 1 Garnet."

The spread between the price of wheat at Fort William and at Dawson Creek was 27 cents a bushel but the farmers could make money at 50c a bushel, net. The great cry in that country was for a road to the south and this was now being constructed northward from Jort St. James toward Finlay Forks part of the way and would, doubtless be continued very soon. Already 130 miles were either built or contracts let for construction. This road would be vastly important to the Canadian National Railways.

CONNELL SPEAKER

Offers His Group of Four as Nucleus of Movement Toward A New Economic Order

VICTORIA, Oct. 30: (CP)—Rev. Robert Connell, M.L.A. for Victoria, yesterday offered his official opposition of four in the British Columbia Legislature as the nucleus of a group or party of men and women who would be united by a definite principle of action directed toward the establishment of a new economic order.

Speaking in the debate in reply to the Speech from the Throne, Mr. Connell urged that such a group, proceeding by a clear-cut policy of constructive co-operation, was required in this province.

Nathan Amster New President Granby Company

NEW YORK, Oct. 30: (CP)—Nathan L. Amster was elected president of the Granby Consolidated Mining, Smelting & Power Co. on Thursday. Charles Bocking was the former president.

Certificate For Balanced Budget

Summerside is One of Eight... In Canada to do So

SUMMERSIDE, P.E.I., Oct. 30: (CP)—A certificate from the Canadian Chamber of Commerce hangs in the Summerside civic building now, indicating that this town was one of 18 balancing its budget in 1934.

The municipal honor roll certificate was received at the last session of the Summerside Board of Trade. This town was listed with towns of 500 to 1000 population and was the only municipality in Prince Edward Island to receive the award.

Marine Workers Called Off Jobs to Number Of Thirty-Seven Thousand

Pacific Coast Shipping Crippled With 118 Ships Caught Between San Diego and Seattle—Tie-up Is Spreading Quickly

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 30: (CP)—A general maritime strike crippled United States Pacific Coast shipping today, quickly spread to other industries and brought repercussion in Atlantic and Gulf ports. Thirty-seven thousand dock workers were ordered off their jobs at midnight when efforts to set up new working agreements between ship owners and seven federated unions failed. From Seattle to San Diego men began picketing wharves, expecting that their numbers would be swelled by incoming men aboard ships from the Orient and Alaska. One hundred and eighteen ships are caught along the coast in the strike.

WATCHING ELECTION

Reciprocity and St. Lawrence Seaway Matters of Concern To Canada

OTTAWA, Oct. 30: (CP)—Two matters of outstanding interest to Canada are involved in the United States presidential election next Tuesday. One is that of the reciprocity trade treaty and the other the St. Lawrence seaway.

President Franklin D. Roosevelt, of course, favors continuation of the trade treaty and has stated that he would revive the St. Lawrence seaway project.

Governor Alfred M. Landon has attacked the trade agreement with Canada. He considers imports of Canadian cheese and cattle to the United States particularly harmful. The Republican candidate has said that the St. Lawrence seaway is needed by United States but has not promised to revive it.

Weather Forecast

(Furnished through the courtesy of the Dominion Meteorological Bureau at Victoria and Prince Rupert. This forecast is compiled from observations taken at 5 a.m. today and covers the 36 hour period ending 5 p.m. tomorrow.) Pressure is rising off the coast and it is becoming colder in Northern British Columbia. Prince Rupert and Queen Charlotte Islands—Fresh shifting winds from west to northwest, partly cloudy and becoming colder.

SPANISH GOVERNMENT IS CONTINUING GAIN OF LOST GROUND TODAY

Socialists Advancing Along All Fronts—Eden Reiterates British Stand of Strict Neutrality

TORREJON DE LA CALZADA, Spain, Oct. 30: (CP)—Spanish Socialists sent columns of infantry supported by artillery, airplanes and tanks as they continued to press forward in an effort to drive the insurgents back "at least to Toledo." Along all fronts the Socialists were reported to be advancing today.

Britain To Be Neutral LONDON, Oct. 30: (CP)—Speaking in the House of Commons last night, Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden declared that Great Britain intended to continue its policy of strict neutrality in connection with the Spanish civil war. He refused the demand of Labor that aid be sent to the Madrid government. The Foreign Secretary defended Portugal's government against charges of violating the non-intervention agreement, declaring that the international committee had unanimously agreed that not a

single charge by Russia of such violation had been proven. France, he pointed out, was one of the nations absolving Portugal. Prime Minister W. L. Mackenzie King of Canada was among those in the gallery while Captain Eden was speaking. Rome Denies Charge ROME, Oct. 30: (CP)—The Italian government last night vigorously denied a charge that eight Italian warships were standing by ready to engage in a blockade of the Catalan coast of Spain.

OTTAWA, Oct. 30: (CP)—Bar silver was unchanged at 44 3/4c per ounce on the New York metal market today.