

Today's Weather

Prince Rupert—Overcast, light
southeast wind; thermometer, 29.40;
temperature, 39°.

The Daily News

NORTHERN AND CENTRAL BRITISH COLUMBIA'S NEWSPAPER

Tomorrow's Tides

High 1:53 a.m. 20.0 ft.
13:34 p.m. 22.0 ft.
Low 7:44 a.m. 7.5 ft.
20:16 p.m. 1.8 ft.

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BRITISH AND FRENCH FLEETS MOVE

Greatest Concentration Of Naval Vessels Will Cruise Mediterranean

Hood, Ramillies, Orion and Neptune to Return to United Kingdom While Other Fighting Vessels go Out To Take Their Places

LONDON, Jan. 8: (CP)—British and French navies are moving mysteriously. When the council of the League of Nations meets on January 20 the Mediterranean will be the scene of one of the greatest naval concentrations in its history. In addition to Great Britain's naval strength, French first and second squadrons, with a total of ninety-two warships ranging from battle-

ships to submarines, will then be cruising in the middle of the sea. British home fleet units now at Gibraltar, comprising the Hood, Ramillies, Orion and Neptune, will be returning to the United Kingdom. The Nelson and Rodney, the world's most powerful fighting ships, together with the Furious and Cairo and the twenty-first destroyer flotilla, will leave home for a "spring cruise" at the middle of January and it is expected will find their way to the Mediterranean.

ARGENTINE DISORDERS

Five Dead in Disorders Resulting From Attempt to Precipitate General Strike

BUENOS AIRES, Jan. 8:—There were five deaths and over one hundred arrests here yesterday in connection with an attempt to precipitate a one-day general strike. Street disorders were numerous, street cars and busses being the particular objectives. Many such vehicles were smashed and burned.

BONUS VOTE THIS WEEK

United States Congress to Deal With Important Measure Either Today or Tomorrow

WASHINGTON, D.C., Jan. 8:—With all factions of the lower house in agreement upon it and the House ways and means committee having reported favorably, the measure providing for the immediate cash payment of veterans' bonuses will go to a vote immediately, probably today or tomorrow, and will be sent up to the Senate.

WILL BE SPEAKER

Hon. Walter E. Foster of New Brunswick to Preside in Senate

OTTAWA, Jan. 8: (CP)—Early announcement is expected to be made of the appointment of Senator Walter E. Foster of Saint John, N.B., as Speaker of the Senate.

EGG PRICES DOWN

VANCOUVER, Jan. 8:—Egg prices were down from one to three cents a dozen here yesterday.

FIRST WOMAN MAYOR IN CANADA ELECTED BY ONTARIO TOWN

WEBBWOOD, Ont., Jan. 8: (CP)—This town of 550 persons in the Cobalt district of Northern Ontario has the distinction of having elected the first woman mayor in Canada in the person of Mrs. Barbara Hanley, wife of a railway foreman and mother of a 31-year-old daughter. Her duties as chief magistrate, Mrs. Hanley says, will not interfere with her housework.

MUSSOLINI SPEEDS UP

Making Final Effort in Ethiopia Before Rainy Season Starts—Blacks Closing In On Makale

ROME, Jan. 8:—Premier Benito Mussolini is endeavoring to speed up his campaign on both fronts in Ethiopia before the rainy season gets on in full swing. Another division of seventeen thousand men was yesterday ordered to duty in Africa.

Ethiopians Closing In
ADDIS ABABA, Jan. 8:—Ethiopian forces were reported yesterday to be closing in on Makale, which was captured some time ago by the Italians and which has since been held by a garrison. Recent heavy rains have hampered Italian military activities, it is reported here.

BRETT IS PRESIDENT

Local Deep Sea Fishermen's Union Elects Its Officers For Year 1936

The Deep Sea Fishermen's Union of Prince Rupert, at its annual meeting last night, elected officers for the year 1936 as follows: President, William H. Brett. Vice-President, M. Linstad. Secretary-Treasurer, George Anderson (re-elected). Recording Secretary, Jens Larsen (re-elected). Trustees—Louis Larsen and Arthur Brødsgaard. Delegates to Trades and Labor Council—Erling Pedersen, George Anderson, Fred Miller and W. H. Brett.

VICKERS OFFICIALS TESTIFY IN PROBE

Cairo Students Netted By Police After Riots



Police officers were stoned, train cars burned, and three uprooted when widespread rioting by students broke out in Cairo, Egypt. Three British police officers were injured by missiles and nearly eighty arrests were made. Arrested students are shown in a netted lorry enroute to jail, after being arrested for activity in the Cairo riots. There were further students' riots yesterday.

BIG BLAZE IN TACOMA

Damage of \$400,000 Done by Conflagration Yesterday on Waterfront of Southern Port

TACOMA, Jan. 8:—Damage estimated at some \$400,000 was done by a fire which raged on the Tacoma waterfront for several hours yesterday, having started following two explosions in a milling plant. The entire local fire fighting force was pressed into service to combat the conflagration which was brought under control before it spread into large oil storage tanks.

CIVIL WAR IS FEARED

Trouble in Inner Mongolia Is Anticipated—Clash Between Chinese Soldiers and Japanese Officers

PEIPING, China, Jan. 8: (CP)—Civil war may break out at any time in Inner Mongolia between Chinese Nationalist and Japanese influences. It was predicted in official quarters here yesterday. The tenseness of the situation was further increased yesterday when a clash occurred between Chinese soldiers and Japanese officers in the vicinity of the Great Wall not far from the ancient capital. Either side blamed the other with having started the trouble.

Gypsum Queen Case Echoed

Exchequer Court Denies Motion For Re-opening of Action in Connection With Reparations

OTTAWA, Jan. 8: (CP)—The Exchequer Court of Canada yesterday denied a motion for the re-opening of the famous Gypsum Queen case involving the collection of reparations for the sinking of the vessel during the war. Senator Hance J. Logan was a prominent figure in connection with the original case.

BAR SIEVER

NEW YORK, Jan. 8:—Bar silver was unchanged at 49 3/4¢ per ounce on the local metal market today.

OFFICER IS SHOT

Detective Fires at Detective By Mistake in Vancouver

VANCOUVER, Jan. 8: (CP)—Detective David Shearer was shot in the hip last night by Detective James Copland, a fellow officer, when the latter mistook him for a burglary suspect as he answered a call to a Dundas Street house. Shearer was taken to hospital where his condition is reported to be good.

A youth of juvenile age was captured at the scene by police and held without charges.

Congressman From Washington Fined For Being Drunk

WASHINGTON, D.C., Jan. 8:—Congressman M. A. Zionchek of Washington has been fined here for being drunk and disorderly on New Year's Eve. He has appealed the conviction.

MART IS BOOMING

Utilities and Rails Lead in Movement Upwards All Along The Line in New York

NEW YORK, Jan. 8:—Railway and utility shares, particularly the latter, showed great strength yesterday as the stock market boomed up to new high levels all along the list. The day's turnover was large at 3,080,000 shares and closing averages were as follows: Industrials, 144.93, up 1.82; rails, 42.44, up 1.01; utilities, 30.97, up .92; bonds, 99.58, up .11. The boom in security values is attributable to the ruling of the United States Supreme Court this week finding the Agricultural Adjustment Act unconstitutional.

Four Boys Are Drowned When Boat Capsizes

ANTIOCH, Cal., Jan. 8:—Four high school boys were drowned near here yesterday when a boat capsized while they were hunting.

German Acts and Not Allied Loans Forced United States Into Last War—J. P. Morgan

WASHINGTON, D.C., Jan. 8:—Appearing before a Senate committee investigating the causes of war, J. Pierpont Morgan yesterday declared that it had been German insults and injuries and not the protection of loans made to the Allies which had drawn United States into the World War.

The United States had always been on the side of the Allies, declared Mr. Morgan, and, as early as 1915, had arranged loans for the Allied nations when they were required.

As far as he personally was concerned, Mr. Morgan asserted that there was no greater lover of peace.

"Is it not true that money is the root of all evil?" Mr. Morgan was asked.

"Possibly the love of money," retorted Mr. Morgan.

T. W. Lamont, associate of Mr. Morgan's, and F. A. Vanderlip, former president of the National City Bank, were also heard by the committee.

Deny That British Firm Is Member of Ring For Making of Armaments

Company's Investments Abroad Are Revealed—Have Not Control of Foreign Companies But Have Merely Invested in Them

LONDON, Jan. 8: (CP)—J. Reid Young, secretary of Vickers Limited, munitions makers, denied flatly before a royal commission on private manufacture of arms today that his company was a member of "an international armaments ring" with business ramifications throughout the world. Vickers officials said that the company's foreign investments included twenty-

five percent of a Japanese ordnance and shipbuilding firm, twenty-one percent of one Spanish armament company, twenty-two percent of another and thirty and one-half percent in a Roumanian armament firm. They added, however, that Vickers had no control of these companies in any way. It was merely an investment.

Sir Herbert Lawrence, chairman of Vickers Limited and Vickers-Armstrong Ltd., said that "demand from abroad has resulted in the development of an anti-aircraft gun which, in competition with the world, has proved its pre-eminence," but he added: "Our own government, if it wishes, can get full advantage of this development."

DATE OF SESSION

China Clipper To Leave Tomorrow

Another Trans-Pacific Air Mail Carrying Flight About To Commence From Alameda

ALAMEDA, Jan. 8:—The Pan-American Airways flying boat China Clipper will leave tomorrow for another trans-Pacific air mail carrying flight to Manila. The ship had started out on Sunday but hit some object in the water as about to take off and sustained damage, repair of which has now been completed.

Quintuplets Are Quite Wealthy

Each of Famous Babies Now Has About \$24,000 in Her Own Right, it is Announced

CALLANDER, Ont., Jan. 8: (CP)—According to a statement made yesterday by the trustees, each of the Dionne quintuplets now has about \$24,000 in her own right.

Freighter Locked In Superior Ice

Coastguard Vessels Rushing to Aid Of E. C. Polk Near Ontario Shore of Lake

DULUTH, Jan. 8:—Coastguard vessels were yesterday rushing to the aid of the freighter E. C. Polk which was reported locked in the ice near the Ontario shore of Lake Superior.

British Columbia Legislature To Meet on February 25

VICTORIA, Jan. 8: (CP)—Premier T. D. Pattullo announced yesterday that the Legislature will meet on February 25.

PROSPERITY IN BRITAIN

Many Signs of Definite Progress Last Year Were in Evidence

LONDON, Jan. 8: (CP)—The prosperity of the United Kingdom continued in 1935, many signs of definite progress being in evidence. The external trade of the United Kingdom was characterized by a considerable gain in exports during the first 10 months of 1935. The total of £396,900,000, recording the considerable gain of 7.4%. The gain in exports to the Empire countries over the first nine months of 1934 was 11%.

The gain in imports was limited to 1.2% in the first 10 months of 1935 over the same period of 1934, the total being £612,000,000. The imports from Empire countries into the markets of the United Kingdom in the first nine months of 1935 were only 3.3% over the same period of 1934.

WHEAT PRICES

WINNIPEG, Jan. 8: (CP)—Wheat prices were little changed on the local market yesterday, futures ranging from no change to 1/4¢ lower. Chicago prices were irregular from 3/4¢ lower to 1/4¢ higher.