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PRINCE RUPERT, B.C., FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1937.

Tomorrow's Tides

High	3:00 a.m.	19.0 ft.
	14:36 p.m.	20.8 ft.
Low	8:51 a.m.	8.3 ft.
	21:25 p.m.	4.0 ft.

Today's Weather

(8 A.M.)
 Prince Rupert—Raining, south-west wind, eleven miles per hour; barometer, 29.63 (rising rapidly); moderate swell.

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PRICE: 5 CENTS

Casualties Heavy In Oriental War

WILL SIT SHORTLY

Commission Expects to Complete Hearings by End of 1938

OTTAWA, Nov. 5: (CP)—Hon. Roy Wesley Rowell, chairman of Royal Commission on Dominion-Federal relations, states that commission expects to conclude hearings by July 1 next year. Hearings will take place in January and February, Mr. Rowell indicated.

GOLD PRICE IS STIFFER

Expected That It May Be Bolstered in United States—Premium in London

NEW YORK, Nov. 5:—A sharp advance in the price of the pound sterling yesterday lent strength to reports that there might be an increase in the price of gold. In London yesterday a premium of 13c was placed on the price of gold. Industrial average in paid for gold trading yesterday was off 1/16, off 1/16, and utilities, up 1/16.

Police Capture Spokane Bandit

Had Robbed Bank in Inland Empire City of \$1500—Trapped in Woods

SPOKANE, Nov. 5:—After robbing a bank of \$1500, a lone bandit was trapped by police in the woods near the city and captured.

Mrs. McDames Of Kitzebugla Passes Away

KITZBUGLA, Nov. 5:—Last Thursday Mrs. Arthur McDames passed peacefully away at her home in the presence of the family. Mrs. McDames had been a resident in this town for many years. She was married about 48 years ago and had been a grandmother for many years.

The illness was very brief. Three weeks ago she seemed comparatively well. Her death came as a shock.

Two services were held in the home, one on Tuesday evening when Rev. B. Black officiated. On Thursday evening the Ladies' Aid and Choir of the United Church held another service.

On Friday afternoon a large public service was conducted in the Salvation Army Hall by Capt. Parkinson of Glen Vowell, assisted by Capt. Halvorsen of Hazelton and Rev. B. Black.

Various local organizations were present in a body—the Ladies' Aid of the United Church and the Home League. Numerous friends came to the funeral. The service included opening hymn and prayers led by Capt. Halvorsen, the "Rock of Ages" by the United Church choir, scripture lesson, Rev. B. Black, song by Glen Vowell, choir, duet by Mrs. Ed. Wesley and Matthias Wesley and address by Capt. Parkinson.

The Community Brass Band, under the leadership of Douglas Wesley, followed the casket to the grave and played several funeral marches.

Mrs. McDames was a real mother in the community and will be greatly missed.

French Vessel Reported Sunk

BARCELONA, Spain, Nov. 5:—A French merchant vessel was reported to have been sunk in the Mediterranean Sea off Barcelona yesterday by bombing planes believed to be Spanish insurgent.

TODAY'S STOCKS

(Courtesy S. D. Johnston Co.)

Vancouver Stocks	
B. C. Nickel	.10
Big Missouri	.40
Bralorne	8.00
Aztec	.07
Cariboo Quartz	1.62
Dentonia	.12
Golconda	.06
Minto	.04 1/2
Fairview Amal.	.04 1/2
Noble Five	.04
Pioneer	3.70
Porter Idaho	.03 1/2
Premier	2.33
Reeves McDonald	.30
Reno	.76
Relief Arlington	.17
Reward	.06
Salmon Gold	.07
Taylor Bridge	.04
Hedley Amal.	.07
Premier	.01 1/4
Silbak Premier	2.00
Congress	.02 1/2
Silver Crest	.04 1/2
Home Gold	.01 3/4
Grandview	.07 3/4
Indian	.01 1/4
Quatsino Copper	.03
Quessnelle Quartz	.05
Oils	
A. P. Con.	.27 1/2
Calmont	.37
C. & E.	1.82
Freehold	.05
McDougal Secur.	.17
Mercury	.15
Okalta	.91
Home Oil	1.10
Toronto Stocks	
Beattie	1.25
Central Patricia	2.50
Gods Lake	.57
Little Long Lac	5.15
McKenzie Red Lake	1.17
Pickle Crow	5.50
Red Lake Gold Shore	.24
San Antonio	1.45
Sherritt Gordon	1.30
Smelters Gold	.01 1/2
McLeod Cockshutt	1.05
Okland	.13 1/2
Mosher	.11
Francour	.45
Moneta Porcupine	1.81
Bouscaddillac	.13
Thompson Cadillac	.37
Bankfield	.70
East Malartic	.89 1/2
Preston East Dome	.91
Hutchison Lake	.10
Dawson White	.03
Aldermac	.45
Kerr Addison	1.70
Uchi Gold	.85
Martin Bird	.35
Int. Nickel	44.75
Noranda	47.50
Smelters	55.00
Athona	.15

Makes Donation Drought Sufferers In Saskatchewan

It was announced at the Prince Rupert Rotary luncheon yesterday that the sum of \$101.40 had been raised from among the members as the contribution of the club toward the drought sufferers in Saskatchewan. The money will be donated conditional to its being expended in the purchase of frozen, canned or smoked fish.

SCHACHT IS CONTINUING

Consents to Continue to Function as Acting Minister of Economics

BERLIN, Nov. 5:—Following a conference with General Herman Goering, chief lieutenant of Chancellor Adolf Hitler, Dr. Hjalmar Schacht, whose resignation as minister of economics was accepted a few days ago, consented to continue to function as acting minister. In this way, the government, it is said, hopes to retain the goodwill which has been built up by Dr. Schacht.

Movie Czar Is Awarded Medal

In Recognition of Outstanding Work on Behalf of Moving Picture This Year

HOLLYWOOD, Nov. 5:—Will Hays has been awarded the gold medal for outstanding work during the year for the advancement of moving pictures. The presentation will be made on January 7.

ELECTION FAR OFF

Will be no Federal Contest in Canada Before 1940, Premier King says

OTAWA, Nov. 5: (CP)—A general election in Canada is not likely before late in 1940 unless some unforeseen contingency arises, Premier William Lyon Mackenzie King indicated yesterday in commenting on recent rumors of an early appeal to the people which he wished to set at rest. Political forecasters might possibly be right if they predicted an election well along towards 1941, the Prime Minister hinted.

Many Pay Final Tribute To Late "Dick" Sheppard

LONDON, Nov. 5: (CP)—After thousands had filed past his bier to pay their final respects as his remains lay in state, the funeral of Rev. "Dick" Sheppard took place yesterday. There was a brief service in his old church of St. Martin's-in-the-Field, where he carried on for years the social service and preaching which made him famous, after which the formal service took place in St. Paul's Cathedral.

Roosevelt Back In Capitol Now

Had Conference Yesterday With Mayor LaGuardia Before Leaving New York

WASHINGTON, D.C., Nov. 5:—President Franklin D. Roosevelt returned to the Capitol by train today from New York where he has been spending some time at Hyde Park. He has several conferences to attend before the opening session of Congress in ten days.

Before leaving New York yesterday President Roosevelt had a thirty minute meeting with Mayor Fiorella LaGuardia. Postmaster James Farley and Works Progress Administrator Harry Hopkins also being in attendance. There was no announcement as to the subject of discussion.

BULLETINS

WINDSORS SAIL TOMORROW

PARIS—The Duke and Duchess of Windsor today disregarded a protest of the Baltimore Federation of Labor, which was endorsed by William Green, president of the A.F. of L., against "slumming parties professing to help and study labor," and proceeded with plans to sail tomorrow for their United States tour. A representative of the Duke said that no change in arrangements had been made or contemplated. The Baltimore Labor Federation on Wednesday condemned the Duke for planning a tour of the United States with Charles E. Bédau, an industrial engineer, as an arch-enemy of Labor. The resolution contained the "slumming party reference," suggested Nazi sympathies of the Duke and observed that the Duchess had never before evinced any interest in the welfare of the laboring classes. The Duke and Duchess sail on the Bremen tomorrow.

NEW AIR RECORD

AGUA CALIENTE—Establishing a new record of four hours and fifty-four minutes for the flight from Vancouver to Agua Caliente, Frank W. Fuller arrived here yesterday afternoon and then proceeded to San Diego.

TWEEDSMUIR HONORED

TORONTO—The honorary degree of Doctor of Literature was conferred upon the Governor General, Lord Tweedsmuir, by McMaster University yesterday at the annual convocation which he addressed.

STRIKE EXTENDS

DRUMBELLER, Alberta—The strike in protest at timbering conditions in Drumbeller coal mines has extended. Six hundred miners are now on strike and four collieries are closed down.

JACK McAULIFFE DIES

NEW YORK—Jack McAuliffe, former world's lightweight champion and one of the noted figures of the early days of pugilism died at his home here yesterday at the age of seventy-two. He was undefeated champion, having retired in 1892.

The local halibut boat Lois N. was in port this morning with a catch of fish cod.

Tighten Up Regulations On Trading

VICTORIA, Nov. 5: (CP)—Hon. Gordon Wismer, in the Legislature yesterday, announced the introduction of legislation providing for new regulations governing stock trading in the province. The idea, the Attorney General explained, was to retain confidence in the investments of the province, particularly mining. The amendments to be presented to the Legislature, among other things, will force companies to inform the government immediately of any material change in financial set-up and forbid stock salesmen from canvassing by telephone or calling at residences.

TO RUN IN VICTORIA

Prof. King Gordon is C. C. F. Choice for Federal By-election

VICTORIA, Nov. 5: (CP)—Prof. J. King Gordon has been named Co-operative Commonwealth Federation candidate to contest Victoria in the federal by-election to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late Hon. Dr. S. F. Tolmie, it was announced last night. Prof. Gordon was runner-up in the general election in 1935 being defeated by Dr. Tolmie on that occasion by less than one hundred votes.

Prof. Gordon, whose headquarters are in Montreal, is the son of the late Dr. Charles W. Gordon (Ralph Connor) who died in Winnipeg a few days ago.

Hospital Meet On In Victoria

Practically Every Institution in Province Represented at Convention

VICTORIA, Nov. 5: (CP)—With practically every hospital in the province represented, the annual convention of the British Columbia Hospitals' Association is in progress here. H. W. Birch, managing secretary of the Prince Rupert General Hospital, is the delegate from that institution.

SCALING INCREASE

Production of Logs This Year Substantially Higher Than Year Ago

Timber scaling in Prince Rupert forestry district for the present year to date has reached a total of 134,501,459 board feet as compared with 122,127,338 board feet in the first ten months of 1936. The scale for this November was 23,751,888 board feet in comparison with 19,662,951 board feet in October 1936.

Scaling figures for this October were as follows, figures in the same month last year also being shown for comparison:

Douglas Fir	1,920,905	839,341
Cedar	1,733,244	3,143,343
Spruce	10,292,125	6,360,449
Hemlock	8,076,304	5,848,021
Balsam	1,688,841	3,135,405
Jackpine	40,276	98,438
Miscellaneous	193	237,954
Totals	23,751,888	19,662,951

Forest Products

The scales of poles and piling for this October totalled 206,390 lineal feet, of which 179,583 lineal feet was cedar, 25,379 hemlock, 1200 fir and 228 spruce, as compared with 79,614 lineal feet in the same month last year.

A total of 14,438 ties—14,050 jack-pine and 388 hemlock—was counted this October as compared with 52,166 in October 1936.

Cordwood this October totalled 289 cords as compared with 125 while 71 cords of fence posts were scaled in the month just ended whereas none was counted a year ago.

Vancouver Wheat

VANCOUVER, Nov. 5: (CP)—The Vancouver wheat price was off again yesterday to \$1.21 1/4, dropping to \$1.20 1/4 today.

BEEF PRICES IN VANCOUVER

VANCOUVER, Nov. 5:—Beef prices continue firm on the Vancouver market. With sales totalling 158 head yesterday, best steers sold at \$7. Closing prices were: steers, \$5.50 to \$6.75; heifers, \$4.50; cows, \$3.

Cabinet Will Be Increased

VICTORIA, Nov. 5: (CP)—Premier T. D. Pattullo intimated yesterday in the Legislature that, if the House adopts the bill providing for the establishment of a new governmental department of trade and industry, the cabinet would be increased from eight to nine members.

Today's Weather

(Government "Telegrams")

Typple Island—Cloudy, showery, southwest wind, 28 miles per hour; set moderately rough.

Langara Island—Cloudy, showery light westerly wind; barometer, 29.66; temperature, 47; sea rough.

Dead Tree Point—Showery, light southwest wind; barometer, 29.80; temperature, 40; light swell.

Estevan—Raining; barometer, 30.08.

Bull Harbor—Light rain, westerly wind, five miles per hour; barometer, 29.90; temperature, 44; light swell.

Alert Bay—Light rain, light easterly wind; barometer, 30.10; temperature, 39; sea smooth.

Victoria—Clear, westerly wind, 14 miles per hour.

Vancouver—Clearing, barometer, 30.04.

Terrace—Raining, south wind, temperature, 38.

Aiyansh—Raining, windy, 42.

Alice Arm—Raining, southwest wind, 45.

Anox—Cloudy, southwest wind, 41.

Stewart—Cloudy, calm, 40.

Hazelton—Cloudy, 38.

Smithers—Cloudy, calm, 38.

Burns Lake—Clear, calm, 29.

NO MORE SHINGLES

American Market Closed to Canadian Imports for Remainder of Year

WASHINGTON, D.C., (CP)—All United States ports have been closed to Canadian shingles for the remainder of the year, it was announced last night, the quota limit for the year having been exhausted. The quota was actually reached on November 1 but since then hundreds of carloads have been shipped. No more will now be taken until next January.

Local Company Incorporated

Shell Fish Packing Concern Formed With Capital of \$10,000

VICTORIA, Nov. 5: (CP)—Provincial incorporations this week include that of the Prince Rupert Shell Fish Packing Co. Ltd. with capitalization of \$10,000 and head office at Prince Rupert. The concern has just about completed construction of a plant at Prince Rupert.

Effort To Control Price Of Coffee Being Abandoned

RIO DE JANEIRO, Nov. 5: (CP)—The Brazilian government yesterday announced abandonment of its efforts to control the price of coffee.

JAPAN IN ASCENDANT IN BATTLE

Invaders Swarming Across Soochow Creek Towards Shanghai And Are Also Advancing Elsewhere

At Brussels

Mediation Offered to Be Named Today—Hitler Suggested As Umpire But is Not Likely

SHANGHAI, Nov. 5: (CP)—Japanese troops are continuing to swarm across Soochow Creek and are holding a wedge-like position three miles from the city. Vigorous Chinese counter-attacks are resulting in heavy casualties among the Japanese forces which are, however, holding their ground despite the stiff resistance.

Forty-two Japanese warships have moved into position on the Whangpoo River in the heaviest naval concentration so far in the war. It is believed that the Japanese intend to land in the industrial area across the Whangpoo River from the metropolis.

In other parts of China, as well, the Japanese invaders are advancing. Today it was reported they were within fourteen miles of the capital of Shansi Province. Fifty miles south of Shanghai, Japanese are reported to have been landed.

Brussels Conference

BRUSSELS, Nov. 5:—The sub-committee of the Nine Power Conference which will offer aid to China and Japan in effecting peace is to be named today. The conference yesterday decided on this course as a substitute to the scheme of sending a second invitation to Japan to attend the conference.

There was skepticism in conference quarters in regard to a report that Chancellor Adolf Hitler might be named umpire of the dispute between Japan and China. It was hardly likely, it was thought, that China would be willing to accept Hitler as a mediator with Germany already bound by treaty to Japan. At Berlin Hitler said yesterday that he had been approached informally with a view to becoming umpire of the dispute. He would not, however, assume the task, he said, unless both sides agreed in advance to accept his findings.

Would Decline War

TOKYO, Nov. 5: (CP)—Japanese naval authorities yesterday proposed a super-war cabinet for Japan and a formal declaration of war against China.

Fine Photographs Of Governor's Trip To Arctic Circle

Eight pages of pictures of the trip of Governor General Tweedsmuir down the MacKenzie River to the Arctic are published in "Life" of October 25. They include some good pictures of the Governor and party and splendid studies of Eskimos as well as landscape views of the country. The work of the missions at Aklavik is also shown.

Another series of pictures in the same magazine shows "The Strange Story of Archibald, the Arctic," Archibald being the Anglican Bishop. Dr. Fleming's diocese includes thousands of miles of very sparsely inhabited country within the Arctic Circle.

The pictures were taken by Miss Margaret Bourke White.