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## Today's Weather

(8 A.M.)

Prince Rupert—Cloud north wind, 4 miles per hour, 30.24; light chop.

## Tomorrow's Tides

High ..... 5:30 a.m. 17.0 ft.  
18:46 p.m. 17.4 ft.  
Low ..... 12:06 p.m. 5.6 ft.

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# SPANISH WAR CRISIS AGAIN

## LAST WORD FROM C. C. F.

Weaver Would Not Only Keep Out Orientals But Everybody Else, He Tells Local Audience

### Socialistic Talk

Three Hundred in Attendance At Good-Natured Public Meeting Last Night in Moose Hall

"If we were in power at Ottawa I think it would be good policy not only to keep the Oriental out but every one else—English, Scotch, Japanese, everybody," asserted George Weaver, C. C. F. candidate for Prince Rupert in the provincial election at a public meeting in the Moose Hall last night. "First we should be able to take care of our own people who are already here and then we could see who we would let in." Mr. Weaver declared that it was not in the platform of the C. C. F. to give the vote to the Oriental and this was not an issue in this campaign. He reiterated the C. C. F. belief, however, that Canadian-born Orientals should have the same rights as any other Canadian-born person but also qualified this statement by saying that the C. C. F. did not propose to put anything over against the will of the majority of the people. The C. C. F. Mr. Weaver said, had not thought the Orientals here but they had been brought here by the labor parties in order that their labor might be used to exploit the white man. The C. C. F. had proposed legislation at Ottawa to keep further Orientals out but Liberals and Conservatives had united against it. The campaign in regard to the Orientals, Mr. Weaver branded as "hypocritical cant." It was a mess for which the C. C. F. was by no means responsible. Mr. Weaver delivered a good-natured final election address before a friendly crowd of about three hundred persons. His discourse consisted largely of an expounding of socialistic theories in regard to economics and he discoursed upon somewhat academic lines in regard to currency, credit, the profit system, etc. G. W. Rudolph was in the chair.

### Not Begging Votes

The C. C. F., Mr. Weaver said, had not begged for votes in this campaign as the other parties had done. They appealed to the intelligence of the people which should guide their votes. He suggested that the people should consider the economic rather than the political situation. "Business administration," about which one heard so much, had got the country nowhere. Now was the time he thought to let economists rather than politicians run the affairs of the country. He believed that members of the legislature should devote their whole time to that job instead of making it a part-time job and incidental to a member's other business. There was not a C. C. F. member of any house who had another job. It had been said that organized labor had not endorsed the C. C. F. Labor organizations were forbidden by their charters from taking part in political movements but industrial conferences had been set up by the C. C. F. in the south and trades unions had become affiliated. Scores of trades union members were also members of C. C. F. Clubs. The Independent Labor Party was one of the foundation bodies of the C. C. F. Organized labor was steadily coming towards the C. C. F. Unable to attack the C. C. F. platform, the other parties had descended to a campaign of misrepresentation of the C. C. F., said Mr. Weaver. The Oriental vote talk was an illustration of this.

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## Denny Shute Keeps Title

Defeated Harold McSpaden In Final of United States Pro Golf Championship

PITTSBURG, May 31: (CP)—Denny Shute, successfully defended his United States professional golf championship title Sunday by defeating Harold McSpaden of Winchester, Massachusetts, one up.

## CROP YEAR LOOKS GOOD

Conditions Ideal so Far at Terrace For Fruits and Other Lines

TERRACE, May 31: — Cool, showery weather is bringing the orchards around Terrace into full bloom and present appearances promise a good crop of hay. Up to the present there has been no frost to check progress. Cherries and strawberries have sometimes in the past been caught by frost, thus marring the early crop. This time everything agricultural and horticultural is the best in years.

## Halibut Sales

**Summary**  
American—32,500 pounds, 8.8c and 6c.  
Canadian—36,000 pounds, 7.5c and 5c to 7.9c and 5c.  
**American**  
Star, 14,500, 8.8c and 6c, Booth Frisco, 9,000, 8.8c and 6c, Booth.  
Eureka, 9,000, 8.8c and 6c, Pacific.  
**Canadian**  
Tramp, 16,000, 7.9c and 5c, Atlin.  
Gulvik, 6,000, 7.5c and 5c, Atlin.  
Alken, 14,000, 7.8c and 5c, Cold Storage.

## NEW LINES OF PRODUCE

Fresh Season's Vegetables And Fruits Put in Appearance On Local Market

New season's vegetable lines are beginning to freshen up local retail stores and there are also a few new fruits including early strawberries from California. British Columbia lettuce arrived last week and Terrace asparagus is also in. Australian grapes are about over. The egg market has started to drop. Butter and flour are firm and sugar has a tendency to stiffen. The meat market is still very high with further advances in beef, veal and lamb.

Mrs. Joseph Rowatt, whose husband, a well known pioneer of the city, passed away Saturday morning, arrived in the city from Portland on the Catala last evening.

## Liberal Meeting

TONIGHT at 8  
CAPITOL THEATRE  
Speaker  
GERALD G. McGEER  
K.C., M.P.  
Seats reserved for ladies with or without escorts  
Entrance at rear of theatre  
ALL ADULTS WELCOME  
Doors Open, 7:30

## AUSTRALIA IS BEATEN

Illness of Australians Contributed To Defeat in Davis Cup Play

FOREST HILLS, N.Y., May 31: (CP)—Australia's ailing tennis forces were swept off their feet in the North American zone tennis finals at the week-end and the United States had no difficulty in winning. Bryan (Bitsy) Grant, acrobatic Georgia midget, trounced Jack Bromwich, young Anzac substitute, after California's Don Budge routed the veteran Jack Crawford in the opener and, with only one more victory in three matches required to settle the outcome, Budge and Gene Mako of the United States played yesterday in the doubles against Crawford and Vivian McGrath, one of the Aussie invalids, Budge and Mako winning 7-5, 6-1, 8-6. United States now meets the European zone winner for the right to challenge the British. The other Australian invalid, Adrian Quist, was withdrawn from the singles on account of his illness was out of the competition entirely.

## Funeral of Mrs. Ward Held Today

Large Congregation at Church Of Annunciation to Pay Final Respects

There was a large congregation at the Church of the Annunciation this morning when solemn high requiem mass for the repose of the soul of the late Mrs. Hubert Ward, whose death occurred last week, was celebrated by Rev. Father Gordon, the parish priest. In addition to the impressive ritualistic obsequies of the church, the officiating priest delivered touching remarks of respect and sympathy. The church choir was in attendance with Charles P. Balagno presiding at the organ.

Following the service, interment was made in the Roman Catholic section of Fairview Cemetery where Father Gordon conducted the committal rites. Many followed the cortege to the final resting place. Pallbearers were Capt. J. R. Elfert, C. V. Evitt, Capt. W. P. Armour, Fred McLeod, S. E. Parker and J. O. Williamson.

There were many beautiful floral tributes.

## Weather Forecast

General Synopsis—Pressure continues high on the coast. Showers have occurred in Prince Rupert district. There is fair weather on the coast and all other parts of British Columbia. Prince Rupert and Queen Charlotte Islands—Moderate east to southerly winds, cloudy and cool with showers.

## Today's Weather

(Government Telegraph)  
Terrace—Cloudy, calm, 54.  
Aiyansh—Cloudy, calm, 57.  
Anyox—Cloudy, calm, 52.  
Stewart—Cloudy, calm, 51.  
Hazelton—Cloudy, calm, 56.  
Smithers—Part cloudy, calm warm.  
Burns Lake—Clear, calm, 52.

## Card of Thanks

Hubert Ward and family wish to thank their friends for their many kindnesses and for beautiful floral tributes received during the time of their recent bereavement.

## DEPUTIES APPOINTED

List of Those Who Will be in Direct Charge of Receiving Ballots Tomorrow

Deputy returning officers at the provincial election tomorrow in Prince Rupert riding will be as follows:  
Prince Rupert—C. G. R. Anderson, Neil Lang, Walter Johnson, Henry Lindseth, Jack Allan, A. S. Lewis, William Lamb, E. J. Cobb, M. E. Rowe, W. W. Webster, E. J. Smith and A. D. Gillies (absentee poll).  
Cumsheva Inlet—W. F. Ironside.  
Digby Island—Axel Enoeksen.  
Goose Bay—Carl Gustafson.  
Haysport—Mrs. P. S. Laird.  
Humpback Bay—R. E. Hudson.  
Hutton Island—K. J. Bosworth.  
Inverness—Ernest Valpy.  
Jap Inlet—Mrs. O. L. Murray.  
Lawn Hill—Mrs. Doris M. Leary.  
Lockeport—P. McLeod.  
Masset—John C. Frizell.  
Murchison Island—E. M. McIntyre.  
North Island—Albert B. Anderson.  
Oceanic—Ernest R. Pearce.  
Oona River—Mrs. Bessie Iverson.  
Osland—Mrs. Olafur Olafson.  
Port Clements—Francis J. Dunroo.  
Port Simpson—Clarence Watson.  
Queen Charlotte City—Gordon H. Jolliffe.  
Sandspit—J. P. Dover.  
Skidegate—Mrs. E. C. Stevens.  
Squadaree—Murdo McKenzie.  
Sunnyside—Laura Regina McMillan.  
Surf Point—Robert Frizzell.  
Tlell—Madame Alice Rajaut.  
Wark Channel—Joseph E. Moraes.  
Zayas Island—Ivor Wick.

## MEETING AT DODGE COVE

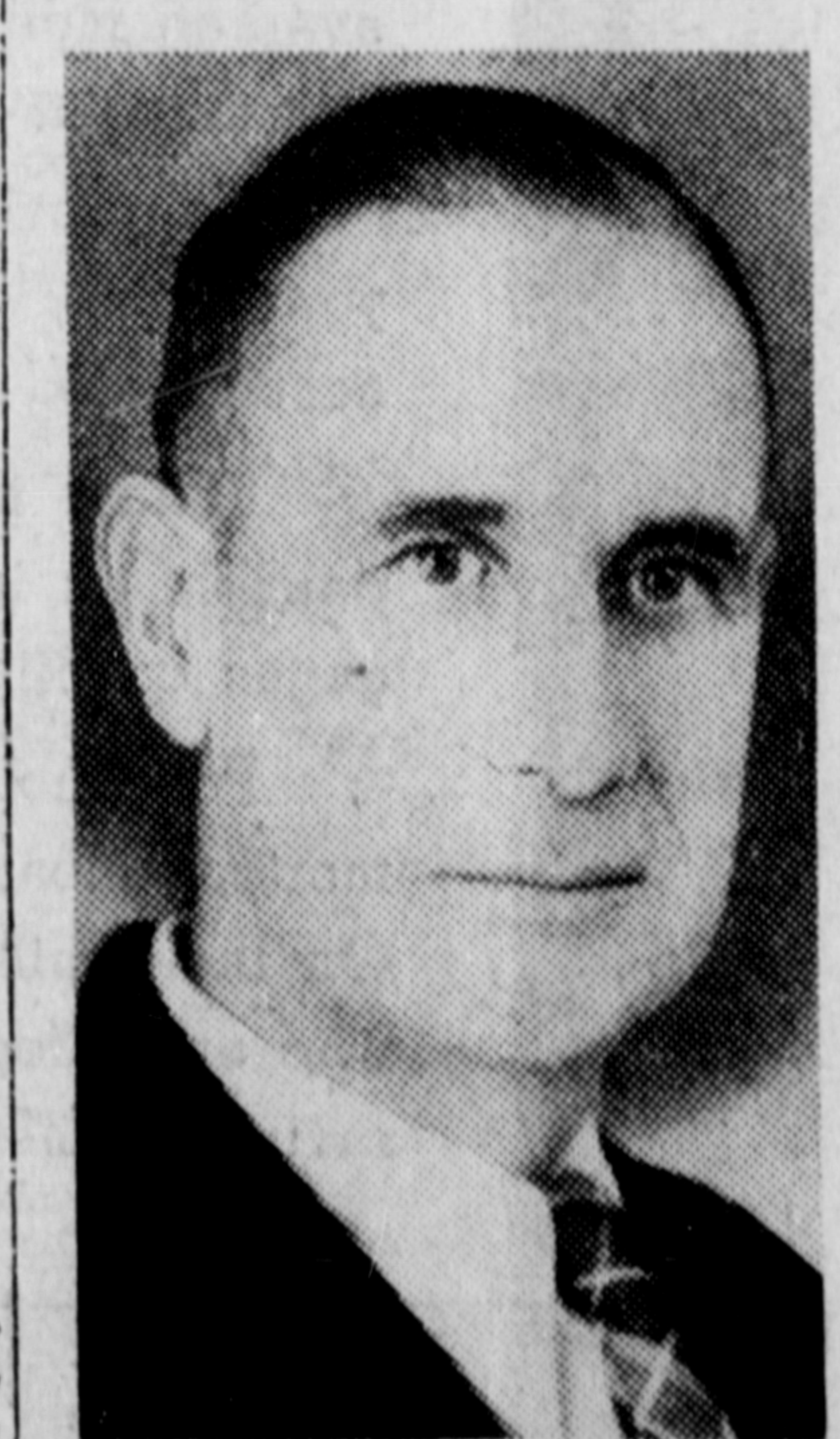
Audience of About Thirty Shows Enthusiasm for Liberal Cause

Olof Hanson M.P. and W. M. Brown spoke at a public meeting at Dodge Cove last night in support of the candidature of Premier T. D. Pattullo for re-election in the provincial voting tomorrow. Ivor Wicks occupied the chair and about thirty persons were present. Considerable enthusiasm for the Liberal cause was displayed.

## CHARLTON TIES WITH U. S.

NEW YORK, May 31:—Charlton Athletic touring English soccer team played a one-all tie with a United States team yesterday.

## Vote For Evitt



The Conservative Candidate (Con. Campaign Committee.)

## Germans Bombard Almeria After Warship is Attacked; British and French Move In

### Local Tax Rate Is Approved By Victoria Gov't

VICTORIA, May 31: (CP)—Prince Rupert's tax rate for the year 1937 of fifty mills on all the land and upon one-quarter of the assessed valuation of improvements was approved by the provincial government on Friday.

### TODAY'S STOCKS

(Courtesy S. D. Jonsson Co.)  
**Vancouver**  
B. C. Nickel, .22.  
Big Missouri, .45.  
Bratone, 7.00.  
E. R. Con., .04.  
Aztec, .08.  
Cariboo Quartz, 1.61.  
Dentonia, .15.  
Dunwell, .03 1/4.  
Golconda, .07.  
Minto, .22.  
Fairview Amalg., .08.  
Noble Five, .06 1/2.  
Pend Oreille, 3.40.  
Pioneer, 3.75.  
Porter Idaho, .04 1/2.  
Premier, 2.55.  
Reeves McDonald, .78.  
Reno, .87.  
Relief Arlington, .20.  
Reward, .09 3/4.  
Salmon Gold, .08 1/2.  
Wayside, .03 1/4.  
Hedley Amalgamated, .04.  
Premier Border, .02 3/4.  
Congress, .05.  
Silver Crest, .06 1/2.  
Home Gold, .03.  
Grandview, .13.  
Indian, .02.  
Quatsino Copper, .03 3/4.  
Quesnelle Quartz, .09.  
**Oils**  
A. P. Cons., .32.  
Calmont, .58.  
C. & E., 2.80.  
Freehold, .09 3/4.  
Hargal, .18.  
McDougal Segur, .20.  
Mercury, .32.  
Okalla, 1.50.  
Pacalta, .14.  
Home Oil, 1.80.  
United, .26.  
Weymarn, .10 1/2.  
**Toronto**  
Beattie, 1.30.  
Central Patricia, 3.30.  
Gods Lake, .53.  
Lee Gold, .03.  
Little Long Lac, 5.50.  
McKenzie Red Lake, 1.27.  
Pickle Crow, 6.46.  
Red Lake Gold Shore, .52.  
San Antonio, 1.57.  
Sherritt Gordon, 2.70.  
Smelters Gold, .03 1/2.  
McLeod Cockshutt, 1.55.  
Okland, .16.  
Mosher, .34.  
Gilbee, .02 3/4.  
Madsen Red Lake, .80.  
Stadacona, 1.62.  
Frontier Red Lake, .14.  
Francoeur, .85.  
Manitoba & Eastern, .03.  
Monela Porcupine, 1.48.  
Bouscadillac, .40.  
Thompson Cadillac, .74.  
Bailor, .03.  
Bankfield, 1.02.  
East Malartic, 1.18.  
Preston East Dome, 1.06.  
Hutchison Lake, .18.  
Dawson White, .14.  
McQuaig Red Lake, .10.  
Rajah Red Lake, .20.  
Aldermae, 1.13.  
Kerr Addison, 2.70.  
Uchi Gold, .80.  
Martin Bird, .84.

### MORE NAZI FIGHTING CRAFT ARE SENT TO TROUBLOUS COAST—CHAMBERLAIN CONFERS WITH EDEN—FRANCE BLAMES GERMANY.

LONDON, May 31: (CP)—British and French warships moved into Spanish waters tonight as a swift tempo of events aroused grave fears for peace following the German bombardment of the Spanish port of Almeria and the withdrawal by Germany and Italy from the twenty-seven nation neutrality committee. Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden, in the House of Commons, referred to the situation as "grave" and said that he had expressed to the German charge d'affaires in London the earnest hope of the British government that Germany would take no action which would render it graver still.

LONDON, May 31: (CP)—At least nineteen persons, including five women and a child, were killed today in a German bombardment of Almeria "without warning," official Spanish sources declared. A hasty survey of wreckage left by shells from five German war vessels counted at least fifty-five persons injured, thirty-nine houses destroyed and eight others badly damaged. The bombardment was believed to have been as reprisal for the bombing Saturday by a Spanish government plane of the German battleship Deutschland in which twenty-four German sailors were killed and eighty-two wounded. The Deutschland bombardment took place off Ibiza.

## GETS POST AT DAWSON

Former Anyox Man Appointed Territorial Secretary-Treasurer For Yukon

Piercy Powell, who was located for seven years at Anyox prior to the closing down by the Granby Co. there in August 1935, has received the appointment of acting territorial secretary-treasurer for the Yukon with headquarters at Dawson, according to word received in Prince Rupert. He succeeds F. H. Osborn who for many years has been territorial secretary-treasurer, the appointment commencing as from May 1. Mr. Powell, who left for the Yukon immediately after the close-down at Anyox, was for years treasurer of the Canadian Legion at the smelter town. He was employed in the general office and store there and also did some court reporting work. He is well known to all former Anyox people. Mr. Powell writes that he likes the Yukon and sees great possibilities there. It will be many years, he believes, before its gold resources are exhausted. The climate in summer is splendid and in winter is by no means unbearable. The past winter has been the mildest experienced in the Klondyke for many years.

Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain of Great Britain today called Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden into conference following word of the German naval attack upon Almeria.

French officials declared in Paris today that the Deutschland's presence at Ibiza was "justified neither by the international police mission nor a need to get supplies."

### ITALO-SPANISH INCIDENTS

In Rome Premier Benito Mussolini demanded not only full satisfaction for the bombing of the Italian auxiliary naval ship Berletta off the port of Palma and the death of six of her officers but also guarantees against the repetition of such attacks.

Catalan government officials announced at Barcelona today that they had confirmed that an Italian submarine had launched a torpedo that sank the Spanish passenger liner Ciudad in the Mediterranean yesterday. Fifty passengers were drowned.

### TODAY'S BASEBALL SCORES

**National League**  
Chicago 4, St. Louis 2.  
Brooklyn 3, Philadelphia 6.  
Pittsburg 3, Cincinnati 8.  
**American League**  
New York 4, Boston 3.  
Philadelphia 3, Washington 6.  
Detroit 1, Cleveland 7.  
St. Louis 2, Chicago 5.

W. D. VANCE, Returning Officer.