

**Tomorrow's Tides**

High	10:55 a.m.	18.6 ft.
	23:04 p.m.	20.7 ft.
Low	4:34 a.m.	4.6 ft.
	16:49 p.m.	7.0 ft.

# The Daily News

**Weather Forecast**  
 Prince Rupert and Queen Charlotte Islands — Fresh to strong southeast winds, unsettled and cool with showers.

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## Europe's War Going Grimly On

### New Frontier Decreed By Hitler

#### Der Fuehrer Says He Wants Only Pre-War Portion Of Poland

#### Goering Says Germany Cannot Be Defeated Either By Military or Economic Means

BERLIN, September 9: (CP)—Chancellor Adolf Hitler decrees re-establishment of Germany's 1914 eastern frontier. An official army communique claimed that the German army was at the gates of Warsaw and that Polish troops were retreating east of the Vistula with about a third of Poland now held. Hitler indicated he intended to annex no more Polish territory than was in the old German empire.

#### Uncle Sam Preparing

Forces Being Increased, ostensibly for Defending Neutrality

WASHINGTON, D. C., September 9:—The European war has imposed the duty upon the United States to insure its neutrality. President Franklin D. Roosevelt re-elected yesterday. Accordingly, 100,000 more men would be added immediately to the country's armaments by voluntary enlistment, raising the total strength up to 1,300,000. The President declared that the administration was not preparing for war.

#### South Africa Belligerent

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 9:—The Union of South Africa was yesterday added to the list of belligerent nations under United States neutrality laws as Canada will be once she formally declares war upon Germany.

#### Additional Police Here

Additional provincial police officers have been stationed at Burns Lake, Massett and Port Eslington, it is announced. These additional men are from a group of six new officers who arrived from Victoria this week.

#### Weather Forecast

General Synopsis—A depression is centred off the Queen Charlotte Islands while on the British Columbia coast pressure remains high. Showers have occurred on the north coast. It is fair and warm in other parts of this province.

### Bulletins

**BELLA COOLA CATTLE**  
 BELLA COOLA—Three hundred choice steers are being driven from Anahim Lake district, far in the interior, to Bella Coola where they will be loaded on scows for delivery to Vancouver.

**NO CHANGE OF POLICY**  
 OTTAWA—There will be no immediate change of policy in regard to wheat futures trading on the Winnipeg exchange, Hon. W. D. Euler, minister of trade and commerce, announces.

**CANADA'S WHEAT CROP**  
 OTTAWA—The Dominion Bureau of Statistics places the 1939 wheat crop at 449,000,000 bushels, an increase of 99,000,000 bushels over last year.

**NO FOOD SCARCITY**  
 WASHINGTON—There is no conceivable scarcity of food in this country, it is authoritatively stated. Anti-profiteering laws are to be extended and strictly enforced. Profiteering at the expense of warring nations is to be taboo.

#### Old Hospital Is Being Taken Over

Arrangements Completed For It To Be Used In Quarters Of Troops—Maids Get New Home

The hospital board, at its regular monthly meeting last night, confirmed the action of the President, G. P. Tinker, in renting the old hospital building at \$100 per month to the federal department of public works for use in connection with the quartering of troops at Prince Rupert. Immediate possession will be taken of the building as it stands.

Moving in of the soldiers necessitates moving out of the hospital maids who have had their living quarters there. For the maids the house at the junction of Fourth and Fifth Avenues formerly occupied by H. B. Stiles has been obtained at \$30 per month. There will have to be certain furnishing of this residence, the matter being left in the hands of Miss Jean Harrison R. N., lady superintendent.

### AUSTRALIA POST OFF

Intervention of War Changes Plans For Australia Governor-Generalship

LONDON, Sept. 9: (CP)—Since the Duke of Kent is on service with the Royal Navy as a rear admiral, he and his wife, Princess Marina, will not go to Australia following the outbreak of war. Lord Gowrie will continue as Governor General of Australia.

### PICKED UP ALL SAFE

Two Vancouver Men Aboard Winkleigh, Latest British Ship To Be Torpedoed

NEW YORK, Sept. 9: (CP)—The Holland-American liner Statenland, in a wireless message to its New York office yesterday, said it had taken aboard the entire crew of the British steamship Winkleigh. It was not said what had happened to the Winkleigh but she is believed to have been torpedoed. Russel Brunton of Vancouver and Phillip Jones of Victoria were members of the crew of the Winkleigh.

Amsterdam today reported the receipt of a message from the Netherlands steamship Breedyk reporting that the British tanker, Kennebec had been torpedoed, the crew of thirty-two being saved. The locality of the sinking was not disclosed.

### Bakersfield Girl In Athenia Dead

No Word Having Been Received At Her Home, Miss Margaret Little Believed Lost

BAKERSFIELD, California, Sept. 9: (CP)—No word having been received of Miss Margaret Little, who was among the passengers aboard the torpedoed Donaldson Atlantic liner Athenia, it is feared by relatives here that she must have been among the lost.

### Winnipeg Wheat Prices Dropping

Downward Movement Recorded For First Time In Two Weeks

WINNIPEG, Sept. 9: (CP)—For the first time in two weeks, wheat prices turned downward on the Winnipeg market yesterday. Drops were from 3½¢ to 2½¢ with October closing at 78½¢.

### Bomb Activity At Kiel Canal

Danish Sources Report Planes To Be Busy Attacking German Naval Centre

COPENHAGEN, Sept. 9: (CP)—Danish sources yesterday reported that there had been a heavy aerial bombardment of the island of Treant at the entrance of Kiel Canal.

### British And Belgium Planes Fight; Two Are Reported Brought Down

LONDON, September 9: (CP)—The Air Ministry disclosed today that British aircraft fought with Belgium fighting planes over Belgium territory last night.

In Brussels it was said that two bombers were forced down.

The British planes were returning from a reconnaissance flight.

Belgium has insisted that there shall be no flights of military planes over her territory so that there may be no danger of her neutrality being questioned.

### "Shoulder To Shoulder With Great Britain" Is Dominion's War Policy

Up To Parliament To Formally Declare War, Says Premier—Neutrality and Isolation Impossible

#### READY TO PROCLAIM WAR

OTTAWA, September 9: (CP)—Prime Minister Mackenzie King told the House of Commons today that, if the reply to the Speech from the Throne is adopted, the government will immediately take steps for a formal proclamation of a state of war existing between Canada and the German Reich. The debate on the Speech resumed today and may run for several days. Proclaiming war, therefore, may be delayed indefinitely.

OTTAWA, September 9: (CP)—"Canada stands shoulder to shoulder with Great Britain in this war," declared Prime Minister William Mackenzie King yesterday before the House of Commons which loudly cheered his words. Premier King did not formally declare war against Germany on behalf of this was up to Parliament to definitely decide.

The Prime Minister said that, if the House of Commons would not support the government in standing beside Great Britain in the war against Germany, it would have to find another government. He had no doubt that the House would support him, Mr. King said.

"No country in northern Europe which now calls itself neutral would bear the same name if Britain and France lost in the war with Germany," Premier King said. "Neutrality and isolation would be a myth anywhere in the world in the event of a German victory."

Measures for the training and dispatch of trained air personnel as the most immediate and effective co-operation with Great Britain would be proposed by the government, said Mr. King, who reiterated that the government was not in favor of conscription and would devote itself, as far as militia and naval forces were concerned, to defence of the shores of Canada and neighboring British possessions.

Mr. King revealed that a special British mission authorized to place orders in Canada had arrived in the Dominion to survey the munitions situation.

J. H. Blackmore, Social Credit leader, joined the Conservative leader, Dr. R. J. Manion, in assuring the government of full support in war co-operation with the United Kingdom. Making it clear that he was speaking personally and not on behalf of his party, J. S. Woods-

### QUESTION OF WARSAW'S CONTROL; ALLIES MOVE FURTHER IN UPON SAAR

Poles Unable to Hold Despite Continued Protestations of Fight to Death—French Advance Towards Saarbrücken in Surrounding Movement

Reports conflicting as to whether Warsaw is in possession of the German invaders and French and British forces continuing their advance towards the Siegfried Line on the western front into the Saar Valley, Europe's new great war continues grimly on today. With the real news evidently heavily censored, it becomes ever apparent that what does come through is to large extent propaganda-tinted. There is a scarcity of official communications and even many of these are directly contradictory, depending upon the source from which they arise.

### Late War News

VICTORIA—Finance Minister John Hart announced that married provincial servants who enlist for war service will be paid the difference between their salaries and their military pay. There will be the same consideration for single men with dependents. Single men without dependents will receive no allowance.

BERLIN—Only those who have ration cards will be able to obtain rye and wheat flour in Germany. The ration has been cut to 8¼ ounces per week.

ROME—Premier Benito Mussolini is reported to be continuing his peace efforts. He is now working on a Balkan peace front.

LUXEMBURG—Twelve persons were killed when a German troop train collided with another carrying refugees.

WASHINGTON—The United States government has been officially advised by diplomatic representatives that the Athenia was sunk by a torpedo. "No further comment is necessary," it was said.

SAN FRANCISCO—"German Day," October 1, has been cancelled at the Golden Gate International Exposition following a vote of German societies which favored such a move.

NEW YORK—With 1700 passengers, mostly refugees from the European war, the French liner Ile de France reached New York today.

WINNIPEG—Premier John Bracken pledges the support of the Manitoba government to the federal administration in its financial and economic plans for war conditions.

LONDON—Word has been received here that no fewer than 89 Indian princes have pledged their support to Britain and some of them are raising forces to take part overseas.

MOSCOW—Russia is commanding all lorries for the purpose of moving war supplies.

WASHINGTON—President Roosevelt said yesterday that a special session of Congress would be called before January.

LONDON—Food rationing will not be needed for several weeks and then it will be necessary only to restrict the use of bacon and butter.

BERLIN—Many people here have been arrested for using their cars for pleasure purposes and thus depleting the supply of gasoline.

### Initial German Counter Attack

PARIS, September 9: (CP)—German troops counter-attacked for the first time on the Maginot Line today but, nevertheless, a French communique said "a brilliant thrust by French forces won possession of a highly strategic sector." Germans are described as offering resistance all along the front. It was the first time France had officially cited a German attack since fighting began.

The Germans are launching local counter attacks and heavy artillery fire.

French airplanes continue scouting flights despite "intervention" of enemy pursuit ships.

A Warsaw radio broadcast tonight announced that, although the Polish capital was "under constant bombing, we will not yield. We will hold out till the very last."

raids on civilians by the Germans with heavy mortality. Last night it was reported that Russian conscripts were moving up towards the eastern border of Poland.

Meanwhile on the western front the northern flank of the French army was reported last night to have driven seven to eight miles within German territory. Nazi forces were retreating, destroying roads, bridges and tunnels as they fell back, also wrecking defence works and touching off field mines. French forces, including large numbers of Moroccans, were apparently endeavouring to surround Saarbrücken which city, it was said, was being evacuated by civilian population.

Today's Communique  
 Today the French high command announced that Warndt Forest, west of Fordach, had fallen almost entirely into the hands of French troops. Communique No. 11, issued this morning, said: "There was activity in the course of the night by our first line land forces. The great forest of Warndt, west of Fordach, is mostly in our hands. Our aviation continues active in support of land forces."