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Weather Forecast

Prince Rupert and Queen Charlotte Islands - Fresh southeast winds with showers and cooler.

PRINCE RUPERT, B.C., THURSDAY, OCTOBER 12, 1939.

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ERMAN FEELER ATTACK

of Nazi Assaults On Western Front

ostly For Enemy

Been Suffering Hundreds Of

feeler attacks, along the Return To Its tern front, led, the French omatic arms companies, were orted repulsed yesterday after masens. Military men said reindicated increasing scope of

Herr exchanges.

More Activity Today ach ostposts from the Moselle the Rhine, continuing a series thruts which are reported to te cost the Nazis "hundreds" of

latest assaults were repulsed pite heavy preparation by Ger-,

he weather has suddenly turned

Wegian Fishing Boat Skipper is of Combat Between British Warships And German Planes

AALESEUND, Norway, October (CP)-A Norwegian fishing t skipper asserted that he been trapped in the midst an hour-and-a-half North naval battle between five tish warships and about 150 erman planes on Monday.

The captain said that neither ships nor planes were hit aring the battle but, after the arships steamed away, he heard n explosion and saw a column f fire on the horizon.

Canada At War

October 12, 1914—Russians withew from Prezemysl to draw up w line against reinforced Austroerman army in Austrian Galicia hent entered as German drive ough Belgium gathered momen-

Adanacs Win Boxla Title

NEW WESTMINSTER, Oct. 12: (CP)—Adanacs won a 15 + 11 victory over St. Catherines Athletics last night, for their third straight victory, giving + them the Canadian box lacrosse championship which was held last year by the Athletics who have entered a protest in connection with the

Protesting At Interception

Sweden Does Not Like Great Britain Interfering With Cargo Between South America

STOCKHOLM, Oct 12-The Swedish government has protested to London at the intercepting by the British blockade of cargo moving between Sweden and South America on Swedish ships

Lithuania To

KOVNO, Lithuania, Oct. 12,-With a triumphant return planned for October 16, the Lithuanian government will move the capital back to Vilna which has been restored to it under the non-aggression pact with Russia.

TODAY'S STOCKS (Courtesy S. D. Johnston Co.)

Vancouver Big Missouri, .101/2. Bralorne, 10.75 (ask). Cariboo Quartz, 1.90. Dentonia, .011/2. Fairview, .0138. Gold Belt. .30. Hedley Mascot, 32. Minto, .01. Noble Five, .021/4. Pacific Nickel, .13. Pend Orielle, 2.70. Pioneer: 2.25. Premier, 1.30. Privateer, .95 (ask). Reeves MacDonald, .35. Reno, .541/4. Relief Arlington, .12. Salmon Gold, .03. Sheep Creek, 1.12. Cariboo Hudson. .011/2. Hedley Amalgamated, .01 (ask).

Oils A. P. Con., .20. Calmont, .45 (ask). C. & E., 2.45 (Ex. Div). Freehold, .0234. Home, 2.75. Royal Canadian, .19. Okalta, 1.28. Mercury, .071/2. Prairie Royalties, .221/2.

Aldermac, 391/2.

Toronto

Beattie, 1.02. Central Pat., 2.25. Cons. Smelters, 51.50. East Malartic, 2.40. Fernland, .021/2. Francoeur, .33. Gods Lake, .47. Hardrock, .95. Int. Nickel. .467/8. Kerr Addison, 1.80. Little Long Lac, 2.90. McLeod Cockshutt, 1.75. Madsen Red Lake, .32. McKenzie Red Lake, 1.17. Moneta, .83 (bid). Noranda, .74. Pickle Crow, 4.20. Preston East Dome, 1.44. San Antonio, 1.73. Sherritt Gordon, 1.31. Stadacona, .44. Uchi, .75. Bouscadillac, .041/4. Mosher, .05. Oklend, .06. Smelters Gold, .011/2. Dominion Bridge, 43.50.

Allis-Chalmers, 431/4. American Can, 1133/8. American Car & Foundry, 371/2 American Locomotive, 261/2. American Smelting, 553/4. American T. & T., 1623/4. Anaconda, 333a. Baldwin Locomotive, 191/4. Bethlehem Steel, 89. Caterpillar Tractor, 573/4. Dupont, 1801/2. General Electric. 403/4. General Motors, 573/4. Goodyear Tire & Rubber, 28. Inland Steel, 95. International Nickel, 3934. Kennecott Copper, 393/4.

National Biscuit, 2234.

New York

HERE'S "GOOD CRICKET" LONDON-With agreement of the air ministry, British airmen, who escaped from Iceland recently with a Royal Air Force plane after having been forced down there on becoming lost, will return voluntarily to be interned. This will relieve Iceland of any implication of breach of neutral-

NO ARMISTICE SERVICE ernment's wartime ban on large Of Anglo-Russian public assemblages, there will be the London cenetaph this year,

GERMAN-SOVIET BOYCOTT CINCINNATI- The American Federation of Labor, at its convention here, reaffirmed the boycott on German goods and extended it to Russia, both being deemed aggressor nations.

BRITISH BOMBERS

BURBANK, Cal.—There will be a mass flight from here to Newark, New Jersey, of fifty fighting TRIP Lockheed factories here on British orders. Two hundred and fifty planes in all were ordered and production of them is proceeding. They will be held at Newark pending amendment of the neutrality laws.

Active Service Chaplains Named

Rt. Rev. L. Nelligan. Bishop. Pembroke, Will Be Chief Roman Catholic Padre

OTTAWA, Oct. 12: (CP)- Appointment of Rt. Rev. L. Nelligan. Bishop of Pembroke, Ontario, as principal Roman Catholic chaplain among the Canadian troops on active service is announced by Hon. Norman Rogers, minister of national defence. Rt. Rev. G. A. Wells, Anglican Bishop of Cariboo, as announced yesterday, is the principal protestant chaplain

BLOCKADE

French Have Taken 150,000 Tons of Goows Destined for Germany

PARIS, Oct. 12.-Since the war began, 150,000 tons of contraband, including 40,000 tons of foodstuffs for Germany, have been seized by barometer, 30.42 (falling); temper- Olof Hanson Is British ships taking part in the ature, 52; light swell. blockade, it was announced yester-

Weather Forecast ten miles per hour; barometer, 30.-

General Synopsis-The presure is eter, 30.37. relatively high off Vancouver Island and low west of the Queen two miles per hour; barometer, 30 .-Charlotte Islands. Scattered showers have occurred on the coast; while it is fair in the interior of wind, five miles per hour; barom-British Columbia.

West Coast of Vancouver Islend— ARE DEAD IN Moderate to fresh northwest to ARE DEAD IN west winds, mostly fair with increasing cloudiness at night

New York Central, 211/4. North American Aviation, 20%. Pennsylvania Railroad, 253/4. Public Service of N. J., 3878. Radio Corporation, 578. Repblic Steel, 263/8. Sears-Roebuck, 781/2. Standard Oil of N. J., 48. Standard Oil of California, 281/2. United Fruit, 8334. United States Rubber, 4158. United States Steel, 751/2.

War News Turkey And Soviet SEEKING Signing Up Today AID FO

Agreement Between Great Britain and Istabul Will Follow Soon Thereafter

MOSCOW, Oct. 12.-Russia and Turkey are expected to sign their long-neglected agreement on trade and economic matters today. It with the signing of an agreement between Great Britain and Turkey.

First Of Series no Remembrance Day service at Irade Agreements

of a series of such agreements State Cordell Hull. which will extend to other import- alinauth reports of Soviet troop and commodities.

Netherlands Cook Describes Voyage Of Bremen From New York To North Russian Port

AMSTERDAM, October 12: (CP)-E. Post, cook and only Netherlands member of the crew of the German liner Bremen, which sailed August 30 from New York, just before the declaration of war and regarding the whereabouts of which there was much mystery for some time, declares that the vessel reached Murmansk, a north Rus- tish sympathy with the plight of sian port, after a thrilling voy- ithe Baltic nations was voiced. age during which she flew the soviet flag and preparations were OUEST FOR allow her to fall into British

TODAY'S WEATHER

Prince Rupert-Drizzle, southeast wind, twelve miles per hour; visibility, six miles; barometer, 30.30; (falling); temperature, 55; smooth.

perature, 52; light swell.

perature, 53; light swell, Dead Tree Point- Overcast. temperature, 50; sea smooth.

Bull Harbor- Dense fog, calm;

Alert Bay-Foggy, calm; barome- Talking Unity ter. 30.42; temperature, 52; light Talking Unity

Vancouver-Foggy, calm; barom-Victoria-Clear, northwest wind.

Prince George-Cloudy, southeast eter, 30.18.

Double Tragedy on Pitt Meadows age, C. P. R. steamer Princess er and prospector of Stewart, who of the non-aggression pact between

had a chance to escape.

AID FOR FINLAND

Appeal Issued To United States And Scandinavian Nations To Intercede With Russia

LONDON, October 12:- The forwill be soon followed, it is expected, eign minister of Finiand will, it is stated, issue an appear to the United States, Sweden, Norway and Denmark to use their good offices to intercede with Soviet Russia to may make on this Baitic republic.

it was decided in Washington + + + + + + + LONDON, Oct. 12.—British news- last night that any dimarche had paners are predicting that the com- been made to Russia on behalf of mercial agreement concluded yes- Finland. The Swedish minister to terday between Great Britain and United States, it was learned how-Soriet Russia whereby Russian ever, had conferred with President wheat will be exchanged for Bri- Roosevelt and the Norwegian and tish tin and rubber is but the first Danish ministers with Secretary of

concentrations near the Finnish Lontier are not confirmed in Mos-• man steamship Cap Norte. A • cow, Finland is still high'y nervous about an invasion and it continu- to report issued by the Press As- + course of Mr. Chamberlain's weeking feverishly with the evacuation of civilians from the principal cities as a precautionary measure i port of Pernambuco on Sepcanst possble air raids. Anti- & tember 17. aircraft guns and machine guns are being mounted with all speed + + + + on the tors of buildings in Hel-

singfors and other cities. Army renforcements are being mobilized. Twenty-one Soviet planes were reported to have been flying off Finland yesterday. Soviet bombing planes could reach Finland from their bases within f fteen minutes! last night denied a German report that Finland had been urged to resist Russia, However, official Bri-

ON ing was at 8:30 Eastern Standard

British Warships Scouring South Atlantic for German Pocket Battleship Admiral Scheer

LONDON, Oct. 12.—British naval vessels are now engaged in an in-' Triple Island-Foggy, calm; tem- tensive hunt of the South Atlantic for the German pocket battleship Langara Island-Foggy, barom- Admiral Scheer. The Admiralty eter, 30.25; visibility, one mile; tem- now admits that there is no doubt that it was the Admiral Scheer, a 10.000 ton vessel, which two weeks southwest wind, five miles per hour; ago shelled and sank the British barometer, 30.32; visibility, 25 miles; | steamer Clement off the Brazilian

Estevan—Clear, northwest wind, Reiterates in Vancouver His Belief That Canadians Must Stand Together as Never Before

> VANCOUVER, Oct. 12: (CP)-In an interview here, Olof Hanson, M. P. for Skeena, reiterated the state- Alex Fraser Of ment that Canadians must stand Alex Fraser Of together as never before forgetting all differences of politics, race and Stewart Passes religion to preserve their democratlic system of government and the principles of British justice. Mr. Hanson is visiting here on business.

Northbound from Vancouver to Skagway on a regular Alaska voy- Alex N. Fraser, well known min- yesterday following the reaching Farm in Fraser Valley Today | Louise, Capt. S. K. Gray, arrived was brought to the city about six Russia and Esthonia which allows in port at 8:30 this morning and weeks ago after having suffered a the Soviet extensive naval, air base PITT MEADOWS, Oct. 12: (CP)— sailed an hour later for the north, stroke, passed away yesterday and military concessions. The ar-David Tingle, aged 55, and Mrs. She is due back here next Tues- morning at the Prince Rupert Gen- rival of Soviet troops has been de-Margaret McDonald, 60, were burn- day afternoon southbound. With eral Hospital. He was about sixty layed until October 18 ed to death when the latter's farm northward travel now falling off years of age and had spent the house was destroyed by fire. to a minimum, there were only greater part of his life in the East. The police say that Mrs. McDon-thirty passengers aboard the Prin- The funeral will take place here ald and Tingle an employee, were cess Louise, two disembarking here next Sunday under Masonic aus- there was no sale of halibut on apparently suffocated before they while two went aboard here for pices deceased having been a mem- the local Fish Exchange this the north.

Acts Before Words Are Needed In View Of Broken Promises

Could Be No Peace With Honor on Basis of Fuehrer's Last Utterance—Parliament Receives Statement With Enthusiasm

LONDON, October 12. - Prime Minister Neville exercise moderation in demands it Chamberlain told the House of Commons today that it was authorities appear to be impossible to accept as a basis of peace the proposals of confident that Presiden Goosevelt Chancellor Adolf Hitler without forfeiting honor. Hitler's will urge moderation upon the word can no longer be depended upon, the Prime Minister

German Ship

York With 577 Passengers

NEW YORK, October 12:- The

flew over the Iroquois in greeting

GERMANS MUST REGISTER

General Hospital-Had Been

Brought Here After Stroke

ber of the order in Ontario.

the hectic voyage.

friends.

declared, and acts before words must now be forthcoming before · "we can cease war"

Prime Minister Chamberlain's rejection of Hitler's overtures follow-+ ed due consultation with the Dominions, France and Poland in rea gard to war aims. On the eve of . the Premier's statement today, powerful government leaders met LONDON, Oct. 12: (CP)-The + . Royal Navy is reported to have + last night at No. 10 Downing Street de captured the 13,615 ton Ger- + to receive a preview of its contents.

The statement, made in the & sociation said that the Cape + ly report on progress, was received . Norte sailed from the Brazilian + by the House with enthusiasm.

The crowded House of Com-. mons cheered as Mr. Chamberlain rejected Hitler's peace terms. Bluntly, the German government was told to choose between continued warfare and peace in which the Allies would not lose honor.

"The issue is plain," Chamberlain declared. "Either the German government must give convincing proof of sincerity of their desire for peace by definite acts and by provision of effective guarantees An official statement in London Threatened Liner Docks At New of intention to fulfill their undertakings or we must persevere in our duty to the end. It is for Germany to make the choice."

United States Lines steamer Iro- The Prime Minister said that quo.s docked safely at the North Hitler's proposals were vague and River pier at 8:30 Wednesday uncertain and contained no sugnight with 577 American refugees gestions for righting "wrongs done

on board from Europe. The dock- to CzechoSlovakia and Poland." But, Mr. Chamberlain added. it Time. The Iroquois, which had was not alone the freedom of the been threatened with sinking small nations that was at stake. attack by a mysterious warning Also in jeopardy was the peaceful from German admiralty, was existence of Great Britain, the met in mid Atlantic by United Dominions, India, the rest of the States destroyers which accom- British Empire, France and all panied her home. Naval planes freedom-loving countries.

A terrific three day storm and TRAINING overflowing stream of sinister rumors tortured the 577 passengers AVIATORS and the 211 crew members during

There were scenes of joy and re-Canada Speeds Up Schedule lief as the refugees were welcom-Whereby Pilots Can Be Turned ed home by their relatives and Out In TwentyEeight Weeks

OTTAWA, October 12: (CP) -The Royal Canadian Air Force is gearing its organization to war All unnaturalized Germans over tempo to turn out fighting airmen the age of sixteen are required to in twenty-eight weeks of actulal register at divisional headquarters training time. The peacetime of the provincial police, according scheme inaugurated last June proto instructions received by Inspec- vided for fifty weeks of training. tor C. G. Barber and announced to-

WARSHIPS AT REVAL

Soviet Commences Its Taking Over of Esthonian Concessions-Death Yesterday in Prince Rupert Troops Next Week

TALLINN, Esthonia, Oct. 12 .-

No boats being in with catches. morning.