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Weather Forecast

Prince Rupert and Queen Charlotte Islands—Fresh southwest to south winds, increasing cloudiness, mist or light rain tonight.

Anglo-Japanese Peace Now Likely

CAUSES OF WARS

Chief Petty Officer Analyzes Phases of Human Nature to Explain Actions

Selfishness

Germans Must Dominate or be Dominated According to Views of Mr. Bird

A careful and interesting analysis of the cause of war and the reason why statesmen take a line of action which may not always seem to be correct was given the Prince Rupert Rotary Club at its regular weekly luncheon yesterday afternoon by Chief Petty Officer Instructor A. G. Bird. President Peter Lakie was in the chair. Visitors present were Lieut. Whitmore R.C.N.V.R., Peter Sunderland of Prince Rupert and R. A. Sime and George Wyer of Vancouver.

Mr. Bird told of the advantages of the life he led as an instructor, wandering from place to place to give him a good cross-section of family life among people of all countries and races. He found that in every family there were differences of temperament, some of the children resembling the father, some the mother and some very little of either. Right from the beginning, differences developed. Brother fought with brother and sister with sister or perhaps brother with sister. Very soon the children made friends outside the family. If two brothers who were different happened to go into business on the same street the opposition was much keener even than would be the competition of strangers. Selfishness was followed by strife.

Selfishness was the keynote of political life. People wanted their members to get things for them. Prince Rupert needed many things and expected to get them but found that usually some other place got there first. The whole attitude of mind was one of selfishness. The people's representative must be selfish or he would not be the member. Everybody was out to grab and few were out to give. Was it any wonder with a world so constituted that conditions should arise such as were found in the world today? The people made the condition. All were on the same racket and there was very little spiritual drive.

Mr. Bird then spoke of the development of patriotism and he quoted from a college student of some other nationality who said his only regret was that he had not been born an Englishman. Asked where was his patriotism, the student explained that patriotism was just a catchword to get people to do things they did not want to do. Urged on by patriotism people were ready to give their all and die.

Family Life

Turning again to the family life for illustration, the speaker said in most homes the family now and then gathered around the hearthstone and, if some outside power threatened their security, the men were ready to fight for the sanctity of the home until they dropped.

The reward of patriotism was often not sufficiently attractive, according to Mr. Bird. He told of a man he knew in Australia who gave up a fortune and a fine plantation to go to England to enlist during the last war. On his return he found the fortune gone, the plantation owned by another and, when he started a bus service to try to make a living, the railway company used its influence to have buses prohibited and he was put out of business. At least the man lived poor and alone with his life embittered. The case multiplied did not make for patriotism.

It is misgovernment that was the chief cause of people joining the

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PAYMASTER IS ROBBED

Seven Thousand Dollar Hold-Up at Stamford, Conneticut

STAMFORD, Conn., Aug. 11.—Two men snatched a seven thousand dollar payroll from Paymaster John M. Wright of the Electrical Specialty Company on Thursday and fled with three companions in two waiting automobiles.

HUGHES TO FLY AGAIN

Texas Sportsman Plans New York To Paris Stratosphere Hop

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11.—Howard Hughes, Texas Sportsman, who last year flew around the world in record time, has applied to the Civil Aeronautics Authority for permission to make a sub-stratosphere flight from New York to Paris, it was learned from an authoritative source Thursday.

INCREASING PRODUCTION

More Copper May Be Turned Out, International Cartel Decides

LONDON, Aug. 11.—The international copper cartel announced Thursday that, effective August 16 production of its members would be raised to 105 per cent of the basic tonnages from the current 95 per cent.

Actors and Workers To Mediate Dispute

Committee Is Appointed by President of American Federation of Labor

ATLANTIC CITY, Aug. 11.—William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor, yesterday appointed a committee to mediate a dispute between screen actors and stage workers' union.

To Receive Kent With Big Honors

Australia Arranging Big Receptions For New Governor-General

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Aug. 11: (CP)—Processions in every state capital through which the new governor general will pass, a naval and air force escort for their liner around the Australian Coast and a spectacular reception at Canberra, the commonwealth capital, have been arranged tentatively for the arrival of the Duke of Kent, his wife and family in Australia next November. The King's brother will then take up his vice-regal duties.

The Duke will leave Tilbury (London) on the liner Strathaird, October 14, accompanied by the Duchess and the two royal children ,and will reach Fremantle, the port for Western Australia's capital, Perth, November 14.

MOZAMBIQUE CALLING

LOURENCO MARQUES, Mozambique, Aug. 11: (CP)—The telephone has at last come to Mozambique. Calls from overseas will be received only on specially-equipped instruments but domestic service will be complete.

Iron Lung Left In Packing Case

Jamaica Medical Department Says Gift Will Not Be Needed

KINGSTON, Jamaica, August 11: (CP)—An iron lung, one of Lord Nuffield's gifts to hospitals in the British Empire, has been left here in its original packing case because officials of the Jamaica Medical Department refuse to unpack it. They contend the apparatus will never be needed in Jamaica.

Other colonial hospitals in the West Indies received their iron lungs with expressions of thanks and in some cases, ceremonies were held in connection with the handing over of the respirators to the various medical departments. Presence of the iron lung in Jamaica was not known to the public until after inquiries were made.

TODAY'S STOCKS

(Courtesy S. D. Johnston Co.)

Vancouver

Big Missouri, .12.
Bralorne, 11.25.
Cariboo Quartz, 2.20.
Dentonia, .02½.
Fairview, .03.
Goold Belt, .27.
Hedley Mascot, .24.
Minto, .01¾.
Noble Five, .01¾.
Pend Oreille, 1.40.
Pioneer, 2.45.
Premier, 1.86.
Privateer, 1.10.
Reeves McDonald, .23.
Reno, .46½.
Relief Arlington, .13¾.
Reward, .02.
Salmon Gold, .03½.
Sheep Creek, 1.18.
Cariboo Hudson, .03½.
Hedley Amalg., .01.

Oils

A. P. Con., .13.
Calmont, .30.
C. & E., 1.85.
Freehold, .03¼.
Home, 2.07.
Pacalta, .04.
Royal Canadian, .17½.
Okalta, .91.
Mercury, .06.
Prairie Royalties, .21.

Toronto

Aldermac, .30½.
Beattie, 1.20.
Central Pat., 2.42.
Cons. Smelters, 43.25.
East Malartic, 2.60
Fernland, .03.
Francoeur, .59.
Gods Lake, .40.
Hardrock, 1.05.
Int. Nickel, 48.25.
Kerr Addison., 1.96.
Little Long Lac, 2.91.
McLeod Cockshutt, 1.86.
Madsen Red Lake, .37.
McKenzie Red Lake, 1.25.
Moneta, 1.00.
Noranda, 82.00.
Pickle Crow, 4.60.
Preston E. Dome, 1.52.
San Antonio, 1.85.
Sherritt Gordon, 1.00.
Stadacona, .50.
Uchi, 1.05.
Bouscadillac, .04.
Bouscadillac, .04.
Mosher, .14.
Smelters Gold, .02½.
Dominion Bridge, 26.75.

Chief Executive Signs Measures

President Roosevelt Deals With Legislative Business at Hyde Park Summer Home

NEW YORK, August 11:— At his Hyde Park home yesterday President Franklin D. Roosevelt signed twenty-seven bills and vetoed seven. One of the bills signed by the chief executive was a social security measure. Another provided for more armaments. The others were of less importance.

Youths Are On Ocean Flight

ST. PETER'S, Nova Scotia, August 11: (CP)— Two New York fliers, Alex Loeb, aged 23, and Dick Decker, 23, took off from Point Michaud Beach near here today on what they said was a transAtlantic flight. They said their destination was Eire.

Taking Honeymoon In Iron Lung; Was Wedded In Chicago

CHICAGO, August 11:—Fred B Snite, who has been in an iron lung since March 1936 when he was brought home from the Orient, was married yesterday and is taking his honeymoon with his bride in a specially constructed trailer. Snite is now able to rest for a few hours at a time outside the iron lung and normal respiration has become possible for brief periods. He is 29 years old and was stricken with infantile paralysis while visiting in China. The bride is 25-year old Teresa Larken of Dayton, Ohio, who says she is very happy.

CABINET IN SPAIN

General Francisco Franco and His Brother-In-Law Take Charge

MADRID, Aug. 11.—Generalissimo Francisco Franco on Thursday night announced his new peacetime cabinet with himself as Premier and his brother-in-law, Ramon Serrano Suner, as Minister of the Interior.

Foreign Ministers Today In Huddle

Ciano of Italy Arrives In Salsburg For Three Day Parley With Von Ribbentrop of Germany

SALSBURG, Germany, August 11: (CP)—Foreign Minister Count Ciano of Italy arrived today for a three-day conference with Foreign Minister Joachim von Ribbentrop of Germany the purpose being to attune the Rome-Berlin axis to new conditions in Europe.

Matanuska Valley Under Quarantine

Ban Placed on All Public Gatherings Owing to Epidemic of Measles

PALMER, Alaska, Aug. 11.—A two weeks' ban has been placed on all Public gatherings in this Matanuska Valley community owing to an epidemic of measles.

SNAKE SCARE

LONDON, Aug. 11: (CP)—A four-foot snake yellow with broad arrow markings, frightened Wembley residents when they were informed by Zoo officials it was probably tropical and poisonous. It was captured in a rubbish heap.

Union steamer Cardena, Capt. John Boden, is due in port about 4 o'clock tomorrow morning from the south and will sail at 6 a.m. on her return to Vancouver and way-points.

Biggest Air Raid Test In Britain

Five Hundred "Enemy" Bombers Visit England During "Black Out"

LONDON, Aug. 11.— Great Britain's biggest air raid test began at midnight when nearly half of England was plunged into darkness and five hundred "enemy" bombers swept over cities and countryside from a mythical nation in the direction of the continent.

Four Royal Air Force fliers were killed today and a fifth was seriously injured in two crashes involving planes taking part in the manoeuvres which reach a climax with another black-out of London tonight.

YANKS LOSE ONCE MORE

New Yorker Continue To Waver In American League and Also Cincinnati In National

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 11: (CP)— The faltering New York Yankees had another full game lead off their American League margin of leadership yesterday when they were defeated 7 to 5 by the Washington Senators. It was the fourth defeat in five starts for the Yanks whose lead has now been cut to five-and-a-half games over Boston Red Sox who were winning over the Philadelphia Athletics. Incidentally, the Washington victory was the third straight win for Pitcher Gus Leonard over the Yankees, a feat which no other pitcher has been able to approach this season.

The National League leading Cincinnati Reds also suffered a reverse yesterday, losing 6 to 4 to Chicago Cubs. The Reds' margin over the St. Louis Cardinals, who did not play yesterday, was reduced to seven-and-a-half games. The New York Giants defeated Boston Bees 6 to 3 and assumed exclusive possession of fourth place in the standing ahead of Pittsburgh Pirates who were idle.

The clubs take up new stand today as follows:

National League—Pittsburgh at Chicago, Philadelphia at New York, Cincinnati at St. Louis. (Boston at St. Louis Saturday).

American League—New York at Philadelphia, Chicago at Cleveland, Washington at Boston, St. Louis at Detroit.

TODAY'S WEATHER

Prince Rupert—Overcast, southeast wind, six miles per hour; barometer, 29.96 (rising); temperature 53; sea smooth.

Langara Island— Raining, west southwest wind, four miles per hour; barometer, 29.93; temperature, 51; light swell.

Triple Island—Overcast, southwest wind, twenty miles per hour; moderate chop.

Dead Tree Point—Overcast, calm; barometer, 29.95; temperature, 52; sea smooth.

Bull Harbor— Overcast, west southwest wind; five miles per hour; barometer, 29.94 (rising); temperature, 54; light swell.

Alert Bay—Overcast, calm; barometer, 30.08; temperature, 53; sea smooth.

Estevan — Overcast, southeast wind, eight miles per hour; barometer, 29.95.

Victoria—Part cloudy, southwest wind, twelve miles per hour; barometer, 29.94.

Vancouver—Clear, easterly wind, eight miles per hour; barometer, 29.91.

Prince George—Clear, southwest wind, four miles per hour; barometer, 29.95.

AIRCRAFT ORDERED

Contracts Totalling $85,978,000, Largest in Peacetime History, Let by United States

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 11 (CP)—The United States War Department yesterday awarded contracts totalling $85,978,000 for aircraft and engines which Acting Secretary of War Johnson said represented the largest peacetime arms order on record.

VESSEL IS REFLOATED

Depere Comes Off Beach at Wrangell Narrows—To be Taken to Seattle

WRANGELL, Alaska, Aug. 11.—The Alaska Steamship Co.'s steamer Depare was yesterday pulled off the beach in Wrangell Narrows where she went ashore last Sunday. The vessel, which sustained serious hull damage, is expected to be soft patched and taken south to Seattle for permanent repairs.

AMERICANS ARE HELD

Unspecified Number Being Detain By Japs at Kaifeng

SHANGHAI, Aug. 11.—The American embassy at Chungking, capital of the Chinese Nationalist regime, disclosed Thursday that it had received information that Japanese troops had detained an unspecified number of Americans at Kaifeng.

Works Progress Vote Ruled Out

Ketchikan Has no Chance of Getting $125,000 it Sought, Council Is Imformed

KETCHIKAN, Aug. 11.—Ketchikan has no chance of getting a grant of $125,000 this year under the Works Progress Administration, the city council has been advised.

Snow Is Low At Ketchikan

Deer Mountain Fails to Lose Its Mantle Which is Usually Gone At This Time of Year

KETCHIKAN, Aug. 11.— Snow continues to remain on Deer Mountain here this summer. Normally, the mountain is entirely clear of snow at this time of year.

MAY SHIFT CAPITAL

PRETORIA, August 11: (CP) — Pretoria is no longer regarded as the ideal site for the legislative capital of the Transvaal. At a recent Provincial Council meeting a strongly-supported suggestion mentioned Johannesburg as preferable.

HAS NATURAL CHARM

MANCHESTER, Eng., Aug. 11: (CP)—"Completely natural girl" is Deanna Durbin, 17-year-old film star, according to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Durbin, who are visiting their old home here.

Mrs. Thomas Ballinger, Mrs. Fred Wesch and Sam Haudenschild jr. left on this morning's train for Terrace in company with the remains of their mother, the late Mrs. Samuel Haudenschild whose funeral will take place there.

SETTLING TIENTSIN

British Government Agrees to Turn Over Disputed Chinese Terrorists to Japanese Authorities

LONDON, August 11: (CP)— The British government announced today that four alleged Chinese terrorists who have been the centre of the Anglo-Japanese dispute at Tientsin would be handed over to the Japanese authorities for trial.

British refusal to turn over the Chinese, whom the Japanese accused of complicity in killing a Chinese customs official, brought on the Japanese army blockade of the British and French concessions at Tientsin on June 14.

It is now expected the whole Tientsin issue will be settled.

British Capital For Unuk River

Tom McQuillan, Well Known Mining Man of That District, Is Visiting Ketchikan

KETCHIKAN, Aug. 11.—Tom McQuillan, well known mining man, is a visitor in Ketchikan from the Unuk River country. Considerable mineral exploration work, he reports, is going on in that district which looks exceptionally well. He is expecting a heavy financing program by London capital, McQuillan states.

Weather Forecast

General Synopsis—A moderate depression is approaching the Queen Charlotte Islands from the West. Showers have occurred in Northern British Columbia but it has been fair and warm in the south.

West Coast of Vancouver Island —Fresh southwest to south winds, partly cloudy and moderately warm with fog patches.

BIG FIRE AT BOISE

Million Dollar Blaze Destroys Sports Arena, Lumber Yard And Warehouse—Fight Fans Escape

BOISE, Idaho, August 11: (CP) — Fire of unknown origin last night destroyed the Boise sports arena, lumber yard and warehouse with damage estimated at nearly $1,000,000.

Five hundred fight fans escaped injury through the presence of mind of fight announcer James Allen who prevented a panic by asking them to clear the arena for a few minutes while smoke cleared. A few minutes after the building was cleared, it was a raging inferno.

Order Issued On Automobile Firm

National Labor Relations Board Delivers Edict to Ford Motor Co.

WASHINGTON, D.C., Aug. 11.— The National Labor Relations Board yesterday issued an order requiring the Ford Motor Co. to cease unfair labor practices and to reinstate men who allegedly were active in labor unions.

Halibut Sales

American

Betty, 17,000, Royal, 10c and 6c.