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DAY AND NIGHT SERVICE

Industrial School for Natives Wanted at Rupert

Commissioner Discusses Education and Other Matters At Brotherhood Meet—Responsibility of Parents and Church

PORT SIMPSON—Announcement by Major D. M. McKay, commissioner of Indian Affairs for British Columbia, at the annual convention of the Native Brotherhood of British Columbia here yesterday, that the department of Indian Affairs was planning the construction of a new industrial school for natives in the northern part of the province was followed by the passing of a resolution at today's session of the Brotherhood urging that the new school be located in the Prince Rupert area as the most central and advantageous location.

Major Mackay emphasized the importance of education to the natives and stressed the responsibility of the parents to see that their children attended regularly. There was no use of the Department providing good schools and good teachers if the attendance of the children was permitted to be irregular.

Major Mackay said that the churches were not living up to the responsibility they had assumed in providing teachers for the Indian schools and that was one cause of criticism of church control of native education. "The churches can strengthen their control if they insist on employing properly qualified teachers."

Medical Care Is Being Transferred
In outlining the three main divisions of the responsibilities of the Indian Bureau, the commissioner said that the medical care of natives will soon be transferred to the Department of Health and Welfare, but that the two other divisions—training and welfare, and reserves and trust—would remain with the Indian Department. He defended the Indian Act against unjustified criticism by "people who have never read it" and then said that "there is not a statute on the government books that provides for protection or inspection of the population."

The Indians would be wise if "they consider carefully the effects of extreme revision of the act."

Resources and wealth of the 775,000 acres of land which comprise the 1,540 Indian reserves of the province are carefully safeguarded for the natives by the terms of the Indian Act, he said. None of this wealth can be taken from them without their approval. He said that, in lieu of treaty money, the government gives \$100,000 a year to the Indians of B. C. and that it is administered by the bureau for their benefit. Transfer of medical care to the Department of Health and Welfare would leave another \$30,000 per year for general Indian administration.

Major McKay's speech came at the conclusion of a session which was composed otherwise of reports by the district vice-presidents of the brotherhood.

The session was followed by a banquet in the Young People's Hall, sponsored by the Ladies' Auxiliary.

Metlakatla Wins Basketball Game
A basketball game between Metlakatla, Alaska, and Port Simpson was won by Metlakatla, 46 to 38.

GERMAN IS CONDEMNED
Death Sentence Imposed on Prisoner of War Who Killed Comrade
MEDICINE HAT, Alberta—A 30-year-old German prisoner of war, Sergeant Werner Schwalb, has been sentenced to hang at Lethbridge June 26 for the murder of a fellow prisoner. Schwalb was the first of three German prisoners to go on trial for the murder of a fellow prisoner, August Plaszek, who was beaten and hanged.

Evidence at Schwalb's trial indicated the 40-year-old Plaszek had been suspected of trying to upset the Nazi domination of the Medicine Hat prisoner of war camp.

Local Tides
Thursday, March 7, 1946
3:44 21.7 feet
16:05 20.2 feet
10:00 3.7 feet
22:07 4.7 feet

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Japan To Renounce War Forever

RUSS PLAN CONDEMNED

United States Cracks Down On Idea of Seizing Jap War Industries
WASHINGTON—The United States has cracked down on a Russian plan to seize Japanese industries in Manchuria as war booty. The American state secretary, James Byrnes, yesterday made public a note to Moscow and Chungking declaring that any such arrangement would be contrary to the so-called open door policy.

Byrnes also disclosed the content of a Chinese communication saying Russia indicated it would take over Japanese industries in Manchuria. The Chinese government, in turn, said it was impossible to agree to this Soviet proposal.

Byrnes tersely informed newsmen that he will get in touch with Moscow about the matter.

SILENCE IN SPY INQUIRY

Nothing New Since Announcement at First Of Week
OTTAWA—Silence has slipped over the espionage probe in Ottawa. However, the royal commission continues to hear evidence in connection with the Soviet spy ring. Four persons are charged with providing information to Russia but nothing further can be learned regarding the other nine held in custody.

Getting Rid Of Franco

Britain, United States and France Call on Spain to Do So Peacefully
LONDON—Britain, the United States and France have called on the people of Spain to abolish peacefully the government of Generalissimo Franco. The three powers also propose that a caretaker government be set up in Spain until the Spanish people have an opportunity to pick the kind of government they want.

The three powers stress they have no intention of interfering in the internal affairs of Spain, and declare that "the Spanish people themselves must in the long run work out their own destiny."

The declaration says that, until Franco's control of Spain is broken, the Spanish people cannot participate in a full and cordial association with the nations that defeated Nazism and Fascism.

BIG TOURIST YEAR COMING

All Hotels and Parks Will Be Filled
WINNIPEG—"Canada is in for a tremendous tourist year and I am firmly convinced that our regular and summer hotels and all national parks will be tested to their utmost to take care of the visitors," declared A. A. Gardiner, general traffic manager, Canadian National Railways, Montreal, who arrived in Winnipeg this morning. Mr. Gardiner will make a trip through to the Pacific coast, visiting all important cities en route.

"The announcement of the reopening of our summer hotels which were closed shortly after the outbreak of war has brought a flood of requests for reservations; most of these come from the United States. Jasper Park Lodge and Minaki Lodge already are well booked.

Ducos of France patented a device for showing motion pictures as early as 1864.

Renewal of Religious Faith Outstanding Need--Truman

COLUMBUS—President Truman, speaking here today, called for a genuine renewal of religious faith as the only solution of many of the world's problems. The forces of selfishness, greed and intolerance were at work both in foreign and domestic fields. A moral and spiritual awakening was essential.

"There is no problem tough enough to withstand the flame of a genuine religious revival," the President said.

TODAY'S STOCKS

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Vanouver	
Bralorne	15.00
B. R. Con.	.19
B. R. X.	.17 1/2
Cariboo Quartz	3.50
Dentonia	.48
Grull Wilksne	.21 1/2
Hedley Mascot	2.62
Minto	.08
Pend Oreille	4.00
Pioneer	6.45
Premier Border	10 1/4
Premier Gold	2.65
Privateer	.75
Reeves McDonald	1.50
Reno	.13
Salmon Gold	.24
Sheep Creek	1.71
Taylor Bridge	.93
Whitewater	.03 1/2
Vananda	.52
Congress	.12 1/2
Pacific Eastern	.16
Hedley Amalgamated	.15
Spud Valley	.29
Central Zeballos	.21
Oils	
A. P. Con.	.15
Calmont	.35
C. & E.	2.25
Foothills	1.75
Home	3.20
Toronto	
Aumaque	1.29
Brattle	1.45
Bobbo	.20
Buffalo Canadian	.35
Cons. Smelters	86.00
Kidona	1.05
Elder	1.00
Giant Yellowknife	7.60
Hardrock	.99
Jackknife	.30
Joliet Quebec	1.36
Little Long Lac	2.99
Madsen Red Lake	4.50
Macleod Cocksbutt	3.25
Moneta	.70
Pickle Crow	4.20
San Antonio	5.25
Senator Rouyn	1.10
Sherritt Gordon	1.94
Steep Rock	3.95
Sturgeon River	.35
Lynx	.40
Lapaska	.50
God's Lake	.62
Negus	2.90

ALEXANDRIA RIOTS
ALEXANDRIA—Riots continue in Alexandria following a bad day Monday when 17 were killed and 300 injured.

JOHN BRACKEN, REMINDED, SAYS HE KNOWS RUPERT'S IMPORTANCE

Hon. John Bracken, national Progressive-Conservative leader, for some time has known the value of the port of Prince Rupert and is fully aware of its tremendous possibilities. Statement to this effect has been received here following the sending of an informative letter to Mr. Bracken by Theo Collart of this city who had been aroused by the Conservative leader's failure to mention Prince Rupert when he warned Vancouver people that San Francisco, Portland and Seattle were spending millions to grasp the vast potential Oriental market while nothing along that line appeared being done in Vancouver nor did Ottawa seem to fully appreciate the strategic position of Vancouver.

Mr. Collart, in his letter to Mr. Bracken, deplored the fact that he (Mr. Bracken) had not taken the time to come to Prince Rupert, with its real strategic position as regards the Oriental market, where the Americans had spent \$16,000,000 to make a real port.

Mr. Collart's letter continued: "And why did the Americans spend so much money in a place like Prince Rupert? It is because, being 500 miles nearer the Orient than Vancouver is, ships

CANADIAN FETTERING

This Charge Again Brought Up At Nuernberg War Crimes Tribunal
NUERNBERG—Col. Gen. Alfred Jodl, last chief of staff of the German Army, asked today for permission of the international military tribunal to introduce in his defence reports by Adolf Hitler's headquarters relative to fettering of German prisoners captured by Canadians in the Dieppe raid.

Because of alleged fettering of Germans, the German High Command ordered reprisals against Canadian prisoners of war under its control. Jodl's counsel told the court.

Grand Admiral Raeder's defence will justify the invasion of Norway in that it was for defensive reasons only to counter a planned Britain invasion.

The defence of Herman Goerring has been postponed until Friday.

Bulletins

CHURCHILL REACTIONS
WASHINGTON—Reactions here to the Churchill speech are varied. One congressman called it an "affront to Russia." Another said it would force a showdown. In London the Foreign Office emphasized that the speech was as that of a private individual and not as leader of the Opposition. The Foreign Secretary had not been advised in advance.

SLIDES NEAR LADNER
LADNER—Six summer cottages at English Bluff near the international border south of here have been destroyed by slides.

TRANSPACIFIC SERVICE
WELLINGTON—Vancouver will be the northern terminal of a transpacific air line with southern terminals at Sydney, Australia, and Auckland, New Zealand.

U. S. CHARGED
NUERNBERG—Admiral Doenetz, at the war crimes trial Tuesday, charged the United States Navy with also sinking German ships without warning.

BODY IS FOUND
UCLUELET—Indians have found the body of John Lips, who was lost two weeks ago in the breaking up of his fishing boat Barkley Sound.

ARGENTINE ELECTION
BUENOS AIRES—The latest election results from Argentina give Colonel Juan Peron, the pro-Fascist presidential candidate, 42 electoral votes more than Doctor Jose Tamborini, the Democratic League candidate.

VANCOUVER FLOODED
VANCOUVER—The low-lying suburb municipality of Richmond had twice as much rain this February as usual. There was 9 1/2 inches. Basements are flooded and fields inundated.

FISHERMEN'S MEETING
VANCOUVER—Limitation of beam trawlers and international halibut and salmon agreements will be among subjects coming up at the convention here March 18 of the United Fishermen's and Allied Workers' Union. There will be delegates from all coast points.

BREACH BY RUSSIA
WASHINGTON—State Secretary J. F. Byrnes said Monday that United States felt Russia had violated agreement by failing to withdraw troops from Iran by March 2. At London the British government has asked for an explanation why the troops were not withdrawn.

MacArthur Constitution Limits Nippon's Power

Prerogatives of Empire to Be Merely Nominal As "Symbol of State"—Potentials of War Unrecognized
TOKYO (CP)—General Douglas MacArthur today announced a new and radically altered Japanese constitution in which war and its threat "are forever pronounced as a means of settling disputes with other nations." The document vests sovereignty in the people and says the Emperor is "a symbol of state," deriving "his position from the sovereign will of the people." He "never shall have powers related to the government."

Greatest Floating Dock Yet

Would Have Been Used by Britain in Jap War—Ring of Fort Around United Kingdom
LONDON—Details of a hitherto secret weapon—a concrete floating dock as big as the Queen Mary—which was to be used by Great Britain had war against Japan continued, and additional information of a ring of forts encircling Great Britain which enabled munition and food convoys to reach the island fortress from the United States and Canada were revealed today by G. A. Maunsell, consulting engineer for design and construction of the facility.

BUDGE CALLS TILDEN 'BUST'

Difference of Opinion as to Leader of Professional Team
ORLANDO, Florida—Bill Tilden has replied to the assertion of Don Budge that he is a bust as a professional tennis promoter. Big Bill put it this way: "If Budge wanted my job, he can have it. Budge was in the meeting that elected me unannounced, and he voted for me." Tilden said he was surprised that Budge made a statement to the effect that Tilden was not qualified to lead a new organization of professional tennis players.

Another official of the new group said that Tilden is—in Perry's words—"making an honest effort to set up a solid professional tennis organization."

The skin of the yak, beast of burden in Tibet, is so tough that drivers use stones instead of whips to spur the animal on.

FRASER VALLEY BOYS KILLED

VANCOUVER—Two five-year-old boys were killed by being hit by trucks at different points in the Fraser Valley about the same time yesterday afternoon. At Surrey Rodney Woodland was killed and at Port Moody, Harvey Tamborino.

AMERICAN WAR PROPERTY IS BEING TURNED OVER; HOW JOHN PUBLIC GETS CHANCE TO ACQUIRE SOME

All American surplus war assets—buildings and facilities in this area including Prince Rupert and Port Edward—will be under the wing of the War Assets Corporation within the next ten days and, by fall, their final disposition should have been reasonably cleaned up, it is stated by F. P. Gutelius of Montreal, representing the lands and buildings division of the corporation, who is in the city in connection with the disposal of the American war installations here.

The taking over of the American property is only the commencement of an extensive disposal undertaking, Mr. Gutelius pointed out. First comes a detailed inspection and inventorying. Then follows the setting up of the machinery for disposal of the property which involves no less than 500 structures from the great warehouse in the central waterfront here down to the smallest of the "T" buildings in the city and at Port Edward.

Following the priority procedure in the disposal of all crown assets, the federal, provincial and municipal authorities will have their opportunities in turn to acquire property after which, falling exercise of these priorities, the properties will be offered to the public.

Mr. Gutelius suggested that it was possible the federal government would acquire some of the property here—it had manifested its interest—but it had not reached the stage where it could be specified.