

Temperature

Temperatures for the Prince Rupert district during 24 hours ending 5 a.m.

Table with 2 columns: Temperature type (Maximum, Minimum, Rainfall) and Value (56, 43, .52 inch).

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Tomorrow's Tides

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Table with 3 columns: Tide type (High, Low), Time, and Height (20.4 feet, 21.1 feet, 4.6 feet, 4.1 feet).

Premier of Canada Due in Britain

Will See Dr. Evatt of Australia and Representatives of South Africa and New Zealand

LONDON, Oct. 5 (CP)—Meetings between Prime Minister W. L. Mackenzie King and senior representatives of Australia, South Africa and New Zealand at which peace aims and other questions will be discussed are expected soon, Dr. H. V. Evatt, Australian external affairs minister, said at a press conference. Dr. Evatt said that he had received a message from Prime Minister King of Canada who is en route to Britain aboard the liner Queen Mary and is expected at Southampton Sunday. Dr. Evatt said he would meet Mr. King after the prime minister's arrival.

Coal Deliveries Being Restricted

VANCOUVER, Oct. 5 (CP)—Vanouver coal deliveries, in view of the shortage of supply and the strike situation, are already being restricted.

NOT CHANGING MEAT RATION

Canadian Workers Will Just Have to Get Along With Twice as Much as Britain

OTTAWA, Oct. 5 (CP)—The Prices and Trade Board remains as firm as ever in its statement that laborers do not need increased meat rations from a transitional standpoint. It is pointed out that even with the ration Canadian workers are getting twice as much meat as people of Britain and several times more than the people of European countries to assist them with the ration has been increased. There is no disposition to change the meat ration.

SPECIAL POLLS FOR SOLDIERS

Returning Officer Bruce A. Brown Getting on With Election Machinery

Two special polling stations will be set up in Prince Rupert to accommodate the military here on October 25 and additional stations will be established at Frederick Point and Barrett Rock to take the votes of militarymen stationed there, Returning Officer A. Bruce Brown said today.

Frederick Point and Barrett Rock are both listed as civilian polling divisions but no civilian voters are there. Military voting will take place at the battery headquarters with officers acting as deputy returning officers. In the city, a polling station will be set up at the Area camp, Sixth Avenue and McBride Street and at the Signals camp Westview.

Location of the polling station at the city's 4,000 civilian voters will not be determined until he finds a building to house it, Returning Officer Brown said. Names of deputy returning officers and poll clerks for the polling stations have not been completed yet, Mr. Brown said, although the list for out-of-town polling divisions in the constituency is complete.

Here are the deputy returning officers and poll clerks in polling divisions exclusive of Prince Rupert: Allford Bay—Deputy returning officer, R. A. Turner; poll clerk, G. Napper.

Barrett, service personnel only Officers in charge. Billmor—Mrs. Ina Pringle, Mrs. Tessie Kobierski. Batedale—George W. Fox, Charles R. Symon. Cushewa Inlet—A. S. Tolman, P. Brady. Digby Island—Freda Marshall, Edith Benson.

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Weather Forecast

Prince Rupert, Queen Charlotte Islands and Hecate Straits: Light to moderate wind, cloudy to mild, light rain during day.



HORSESHOE SOUVENIRS FOR LUCK—Sgt. Ronald McBean, of the Royal Canadian Air Force, has little lucky horseshoes nailed on his boots by the village smithy in the typical old English town of Cockington, as good luck souvenirs of his stay in England.

Walter Johnson Is Home From Overseas

Capt. Walter Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Johnson, 137 Seventh Avenue East, returned to the city this week from overseas where he served with the Canadian Army in western Europe. Popular pioneer local boy, prominent athlete and member of the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co. staff, he is receiving a hearty welcome home.

HONG KONG ACCOUNTING

All but Seven Who Fought There in December 1941 Have Now Been Traced Up

MANILA, Oct. 5 (CP)—Canadian prisoner of war repatriation group sent to the Far East since the Japanese capitulation has accounted for 270 officers and 1,398 other ranks of the Canadian contingent which fought at Hong Kong in December 1941. This figure includes one officer and 39 other ranks whose deaths, previously unreported, have now been established. Seven other ranks who were members of the Hong Kong forces are still unaccounted for but repatriation officers are following clues which they hope will enable them to give definite report on everyone in the contingent.

ARMY NURSING IN AFRICA AND ITALY

Army nursing experiences in Africa, Sicily and Italy were recalled by Lieut. (Nursing Sister) Nel Koester of Prince Rupert Military Hospital last night when she spoke before a well-attended meeting of the Prince Rupert Registered Nurses' Association in the Nurses' Home of the Prince Rupert General Hospital. Lieut. Koester told of the remarkable effects of new drugs such as penicillin. Ingenious improvisations which had to be resorted to in hospitalization services following up the armies in the field proved interesting in the telling.

Miss Margaret Colwell, president of the association, was in the chair. There was a brief business session and refreshments were served.

Twelve members of the Association were in attendance. Mrs. W. McKeown was elected vice-president, succeeding Mrs. G. D. Bryant who has left for Prince George to reside.

Cost of Living in Canada Is Lower

OTTAWA, Oct. 5—The Dominion Bureau of Statistics announced a reduction of three-fifths of one per cent in the cost of living in Canada between August 1 and September 1.

PRIZES WON AT CHURCH BAZAAR

The Catholic Women's League bazaar, in full swing for the last two days in the Knights of Columbus Hall, came to a close last evening with the drawing of a number of raffles. Convener of the bazaar was Mrs. J. J. Gillis, president of the Catholic Women's League. Mrs. J. MacArthur was cashier of the tea room. The ladies assisting Mrs. C. Schaffer, president of the Overlook circle, at the sewing booth were Mrs. N. M. McLean, Mrs. Dahl, Mrs. Schwab, Mrs. Barrett, Mrs. E. J. Fitzpatrick and Mrs. Bouzek. Johnny Comandina was in charge of the drawing and a number of small children drew the tickets.

The prizes and winners were:

- Grand Drawing: Cedar chest won by R. Towhey, St. Elmo Hotel, ticket No. 1803. \$50 Victory Bond won by Pte. O. G. Vickers, Sault Ste. Marie and Stubbury Regiment, Prince Rupert, No. 1550. Pair of Hudson's Bay blankets won by Jack Caron, 512 Eighth Avenue West, care of 65 Taxi, No. 2605. \$10 cash won by Miss M. Constable, 1803 Chamber Street, Victoria, ticket No. 630. \$10 cash won by Jim Wong, Post Office box 202, No. 3402. \$5 cash won by A. M. Oberle, 933 First Avenue, ticket No. 1870.

Other Drawings: Sheets and pillow cases donated by Mrs. E. B. Reeves, were won by Mrs. Bussey, No. 682.

Centre piece, made by Mrs. Turcotte, won by E. A. Evans. Pillow cases, made by Mrs. McLaren, won by Mrs. McLaren. Hand-painted picture, donated by Mrs. McCall, Seattle, won by James McNulty, No. 23. Tea Cloth, donated by Mrs. E. B. Reeves, won by Miss Blanche Curtin, No. 77.affle, donated by Number Two Sewing Circle, won by J. Mulligan. Chesterfield set, donated by the Victory circle, won by James McNulty. Rug, donated by Mrs. Dahl, won by Mrs. Elliott. Apples, donated by Midway Grocery, won by Fred Riffon. Rug, donated by Mrs. N. M. McLean, won by Mrs. Lavigne. Cushion, donated by the late Bishop Bunoz, won by Mrs. Deltor. Basket of groceries, won by Father Carrol. Box of apples, donated by De Jong's Grocery, won by Mrs. J. Novack.

Apples, donated by Mr. Amadio, won by James McNulty. Doll and wheelbarrow, donated by Mrs. Jack Gillis and Ellos, won by Anita Rogerson. Lady's purse, donated by Fashion Footwear, won by Donald Main, Sunnyside. Pillow and centrepiece, donated by Mrs. Turgeon, won by Sherman Montgray. Tea cloth, won by Mrs. C. Bilton. Table and chairs, donated by a friend, won by Iris Hagen, Vancouver. Lamp, donated by Mrs. Blain, won by Rupert Beeching.

Government Crisis In Japan

Bulletins

BUDGET NEXT WEEK OTTAWA—The federal budget will be brought down a week from today — Friday, October 12—Finance Minister Isley announced in Commons today.

REVISE COUPON VALUES OTTAWA—Finance Minister Isley announced today in the Commons that the Prices Board is taking steps to revise coupon values on the most of cooked meats.

LAVAL IN COURT AGAIN PARIS—Judge Mongibeaux today rejected pleas of defence counsel for Pierre Laval, former Vichy Premier, that Laval's treason trial be delayed. Laval, who was ejected from court yesterday after a tumultuous session, was permitted to attend today provided he did not create a disturbance or upset the dignity of the court.

SLASHED GIRL'S THROAT PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE, Man.—Baldwin Jonasson, 49, was scheduled to be arraigned in police court today for the throat slashing murder of 16-year-old Pearl Dell, found in Jonasson's blood-drenched automobile September 9 several hours after they had left Portage la Prairie to return to a farm where both worked.

POST-WAR AIR FORCE OTTAWA—Air Minister Gibson announced in the Commons last night tentative plans for a post-war R.C.A.F. of from 15,000 to 20,000 men, broken up into ten squadrons. These would be four bomber, three transport, two fighter and one reconnaissance. There also will be an auxiliary and a reserve Air Force, to provide pools of trained and training personnel.

STRIKES SPREADING NEW YORK — The United States labor picture is extremely gloomy today. Spreading walk-outs in eastern coal fields and in other industries have pushed the number on strike lines above 530,000.

CONTROL TWO JAVA CITIES LONDON — In the Dutch East Indies an Allied military spokesman has disclosed that Indonesian Nationalists who are demanding independence from Dutch rule have won control of two of the most important cities on the island of Java. The Nationalists hold the cities of Surebaya and Bandoen. Additional British Indian regiments have been landed at Batavia, with further reinforcements expected.

GIRL TELLS OF HORRORS

Kramer Machine-Gunned Captives Before Flaming Ditch — Killed Others With Dogs

LUEBENBERG, Germany, Oct. 5 (CP)—Joseph Kramer, Nazi commandant of Sovievic and Belsen concentration camps, was accused by Regina Rosenthal, 21-year old Polish girl, of machine-gunning about 300 captives before a flaming ditch after killing some with dogs. Kramer and 44 other officials and guards are on trial for their lives before a British military court, being charged with atrocities.

Strike At Windsor Star Is Settled

WINDSOR, Ont., Oct. 5—The Windsor Daily Star printers' strike ended late yesterday and the newspaper resumed publication after brief cessation as a result of a wage dispute.

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World Series—

THIRTY-SIX YEAR OLD VETERAN BECOMES BASEBALL IMMORTAL AS CHICAGO BLANK DETROIT AGAIN

DETROIT, Oct. 5 (CP)—A 36-year-old veteran of the diamond, who runs a tree farm in Mississippi and who was believed to be through at the opening of the present season because of arm trouble, became one of Big League baseball's immortals today as Chicago White Sox again blanked the Detroit Tigers 3 to nothing to win the third game of the current World Series. It was a one-man show as old Claude Passeau, variety right-hander, held the Bengals to a single hit, something that had been done only once before in World Series history, that being away back in 1906. With the Young Bears now one game up, the series now moves to Chicago where the next game will be played tomorrow.

Budget Soon—

Tax Outlook Speculation

No Relief on 1945 Account But Possible "Pleasant" Surprises For 1946 OTTAWA, Oct. 5 (Financial Post)—Political and other exigencies result in budgets being almost invariably tinkered with right up to the time finance ministers start speaking on the floor of the House, but here is where budget thinking stands now. 1. Definitely no relief for individuals or corporations so far as 1945 incomes are concerned. 2. Some "pleasant" surprises for corporate and possibly individual taxpayers on 1946 account, especially in the way of more streamlined taxation methods and procedures. 3. No relief at present by way of immediate distribution of refundable portions of income taxes already collected. 4. Not much relief for "special" groups. The present disposition is to avoid particularizing in tax relief. Groups with special grievances will probably have to be content with over-all tax relief granted all companies in 1946 or else wait for the selective decontrol of prices expected to get under way early in the New Year. 5. Implementation of the Ives Commission recommendations as to annuities, and as to taxation of family corporations prior to 1940. No decision expected on the controversial question of treatment of family corporation earnings in 1940 and subsequent years.

Best present guess for appearance of the budget is still on or about October 12. One pressure point is the desire to get the budget down and well-digested prior to the start of the Victory Loan campaign on October 22. Chief difficulty is the complete recasting of financial needs and revenues occasioned by war's end.

On the latter point it is understood that very considerable progress has been made. So much so that the budget could come down almost any time now. From now on it will be largely refining and polishing—unless some entirely new and unexpected development occurs. As to refundable taxes, the urge is to do something for corporations who want this money back to use in postwar expansion plans. But the argument against this is that refunds to corporations would be politically "unwise" unless some relief were also granted to individuals.

So despite scores of letters every week from hard-pressed individuals who urgently need their refund for this or that emergency, the prevailing line of argument is that this is no time to be handing back \$250 millions to add to the swollen stream of personal purchasing power just before Christmas.

On balance, it is thought therefore that there is no prospect for immediate relief either for individuals or corporations. Whether there will be a promise for a return in future and at an earlier date than is now provided for in legislation, remains to be seen.

BRAZILIAN LANGUAGE Portuguese is the language of most of Brazil's 41,356,605 people.

Many Draftees, Are Still A.W.L.

OTTAWA, Oct. 5—There were 24,500 draftees absent without leave from the Canadian Army on September 1, Parliament was advised yesterday in answer to questions. Quebec district had the largest number of A.W.L.'s and Halifax the least.

DONALD GORDON DUBBED DICTATOR

His Removal Demanded by Lethbridge Miners' Union LETHBRIDGE, Alta., Oct. 5—The Lethbridge miners' union yesterday described Donald Gordon, chairman of the Prices and Trade Board, as a dictator and demanded his removal.

FLAYS C.C.F.



HON. R. L. MAITLAND

VANCOUVER, Oct. 5 (CP)—Hon. R. L. Maitland, Attorney General, at a public meeting, criticized C.C.F. members of the Legislature and commended the coalition government's "record of achievement" against C.C.F. criticism and "barnstorming." Mr. Maitland said that the social allowance averaged \$27.50 in British Columbia compared with \$18.35 in Saskatchewan where a C.C.F. government is in power.

MAJOR MAHONY GOING ON AIR

Canadian V.C. Winner to Participate in Newspaper Carrier Broadcast British Columbia's celebrated soldier newspaperman, Major Jack Mahoney, V.C., will participate in a CBC feature broadcast entitled "Here's Your Paper" on Saturday evening from 7:10 to 7:30 p.m. Pacific time, over CFPB and the CBC Trans-Canada network. The program is to mark Newspaper Carrier Day and illustrates how many former carriers have made good in their chosen fields.

John Fisher will be master of ceremonies for the show from the CBC's Toronto studios with pickups from prairie and Maritime points. Guest speakers will include Major Mahoney, Major Fred Tilston, V.C., and Minister of Finance Hon. J. L. Isley.

BOWLING ALLEY IS TAKEN OVER

Popular Resort Will Be Open For Public Patronage Again As From Tonight Operation of the Rex Bowling Alley, which was relinquished this week by the United Services Organization, has been taken over by Lloyd Morris, Edward Garner and George Dobb and will be reopened to public patronage as from tonight. Steps are being taken to organize leagues such as were operated before the war. It is not long since this resort, which have five alleys in operation, was completely renovated.

Fish Sales

Lois N., 40,000 lbs., to Co-op.

Cabinet Resigns

Japanese Administration Headed by Prince Quit En Masse

TOKYO, Oct. 5 (CP)—The Japanese cabinet, headed by Premier Prince Higashi-Kuni, has resigned en masse. The cabinet resigned rather than carry out General MacArthur's latest orders to oust the home minister in the interests of achieving a free-thinking, free-speaking Japan. Emperor Hirohito accepted the resignation with the words, "That is good."

Following Higashi-Kuni's conference with the emperor, he revealed that the mikado had personally adopted the idea of submitting the name of the next premier of Japan to General MacArthur out of a desire to ensure full co-operation with the Americans.

The emperor's readiness to accept the resignation of Higashi-Kuni is interpreted as meaning he thought a strong cabinet more pleasing to General MacArthur could be formed.

Meanwhile, observers believe Fumimaro Konoye appears likely to succeed Higashi-Kuni as Japanese premier. But some sources say his appointment might mean danger of disruption of law and order throughout Japan. Some Japanese have stated flatly that Prince Konoye is personally unpopular with the Japanese people because of his association with war developments.

STALIN STATES HOW HE STANDS

In Agreement on All Essential Points With Molotov on Conference Subjects

LONDON, Oct. 5 (CP)—The Moscow radio says that Generalissimo Stalin has informed Prime Minister Attlee and President Truman that he is in agreement on all essential points with the stand taken by Foreign Commissar Molotov at the recent council of foreign secretaries. The meeting was adjourned after deadlocks had been reached on all important points.

COALITION CAMPAIGN

Hon. E. T. Kenney in Smithers—Nomination Filed—Anscmb Coming

SMITHERS, Oct. 5—Hon. E. T. Kenney, coalition candidate in the forthcoming provincial election, arrived in Smithers from Victoria on Wednesday to start active campaigning for the election. Campaign manager for the coalition party for Skeena district is Dr. L. M. Greene of Smithers while Len Evans is official agent.

Nomination papers were placed in the hands of Returning Officer Harvey Davies. The name of E. T. Kenney was proposed by Olof Hanson and seconded by Dr. L. M. Greene. Names of those assenting to the nomination were: Walter Chapman, Harry King, George Dover, C. J. Norrington, S. F. Campbell, Will Robinson, J. B. Desjardins, Robert Squires, L. C. Brooks and Marjorie McMillan, all of Terrace; R. T. Oulton of Glentanna, Maurice Dahlquist of Cedarville, W. J. Marshall and George F. Martin of Hazelton; George H. Adomeit, W. T. Wark, H. V. Boswell, M. A. Raymond, William Grant, Ethel J. Williams, Ida S. Bodger, J. M. Graham, W. J. O'Neill, Ernest Hann, W. R. Eby, Joseph J. Watson and George H. Wall, all of Smithers.

Hon. Herbert Anscmb will address a coalitionist meeting in the Reo Theatre at Smithers on Thursday evening, Oct. 11. Other meetings are scheduled for the various polling divisions throughout the district for every night until the end of the campaign.