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# Australia Turns Out Labor Government

## Coalition Winner In Election

"Sane Vote," Says Winners—"Tragedy," Say Losers

SYDNEY (CP)—Australia has ended eight years of Labor government by voting into power a two-party anti-Socialist coalition led by Robert Menzies. The Liberal-Country Party coalition, led by Menzies, former Prime Minister, which made the election a straight fight against Prime Minister J. B. Chifley's Socialist policies, today had won or taken a commanding lead in sixty-four seats, enough to give them control of the 125-seat House of Representatives. Labor appeared to have won fifty seats.

Menzies, aged 54, who was Prime Minister from 1939 to 1941, was successful in his own riding of Kooyong, Victoria. He made his campaign a straight attack on the government's socialization policies.

Chifley, 64, veteran trade union leader, went to the country on his government's record. He himself was re-elected to his old McQuarrie seat in Parliament.

"The people will soon realize the tragic mistake they have made," commented C. Anderson, vice-president of the Australian Trades and Labor Council. "They will be glad to return to Labor when the next appeal to the people is made."

Competing for 123 seats today were 122 Labor members and one Independent; 89 Liberals, 33 Country Party candidates and 68 from minor groups including 35 Communists.

The people also voted for 42 senators but the results of the Senate vote are not expected for some days.

In the last House of 75 seats, Liberals had 17 seats and Country Party, twelve. There were no independent Labor members and one Independent.

In the last election three years ago Labor won 43 seats.

"Basic principles of Menzies and his policy were more than vindicated by the sane vote of the people," said Arthur Fadden, leader of the Country Party. "The verdict shows that the core of Australia is sound."

Defeat of the Labor government in Australia followed by less than two weeks a similar verdict in New Zealand where the general election resulted in the defeat of the administration which had lasted fourteen years.

## Convicted Of Spying

SARAJEVO (CP)—Ten White Russians, led by a 64-year old priest, were yesterday sentenced to prison on charges of spying for the Soviet Union against Premier Tito's regime in the Second World War.

The ten, including a former nun, were convicted by a Yugoslav tribunal and given sentences which ranged from three to twenty years.

## First Speeches Since Election

Mayor and Aldermen Elected Heard at Future Citizens Dance

Members of Prince Rupert's new 1950 council were asked to give their first official speeches last night at the Civic Centre during the course of a "Future Citizens" dance when Mayor-for-a-day Eric Moore introduced Mayor-Elect G. W. Rudderham and Aldermen-Elect Donald Fitch, Douglas Frizzell, W. A. McLean and H. F. Glassey.

Each expressed the opinion that "Future Citizens' Day" was an excellent idea and should be repeated. Mayor N.E. Arnold also spoke, commending the "future citizens" on the way they conducted the council meeting and expressing the hope that, in due time, they would take a real and active part in civic affairs.

The "Junior" Mayor was introduced by Harold Hampton, President of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, who played host to the teen-agers and the several businessmen who had co-operated in making Future Citizens Day a success.

Officiating at the door were Eric Spears and George Tomlinson with A. M. Hurst as Student Card inspector. Music was rendered by the Five Dukes' Orchestra.

## New Plan On Tugwell Isle

As being more suitable for development, particularly with a view to possible extension as a defence project, W. R. May, director of development, Canadian Pacific Airlines, is now working on a site along the southeast edge of Tugwell Island instead of the northeast section as was at first considered.

"You will notice that it is the more practical way for easy construction," Mr. May mentions in a letter to the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce. "What we are planning on at present is 4000 feet but you will notice (from plans and photographs, that it is possible to get six thousand feet which is all the Air Force require for a fighter strip).

Mr. May is working with the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce with a view to having an estimate obtained for the clearing and levelling of the site and may be back in Prince Rupert shortly in connection with the project. This may be after the return to the city from Ottawa of E. T. Applewhite, M.P. for Skeena, whose co-operation is being enlisted.

## William Turley, Kitwanga, Dies

Native Patriarch of the Kitwanga district, William Turley, 98, died at his home there recently.

Deceased operated the first farm in the district. In his youth he was employed on the steamboat Hazelton which plied the waters of the Skeena River. He was also an experienced hunter and trapper.

Deceased is survived by one son Charles Turley and a daughter Louisa. Funeral services were held at Kitwanga.

## WRESTLING

LEO KARLENKO vs. CHIEF THUNDERBIRD  
FELIX KOHNKE vs. THE SAINT

TAG-TEAM MATCH  
Leo Karlenko—The Saint—Felix Kohnke—Chief Thunderbird

TONIGHT—8:30 p.m.  
Civic Centre

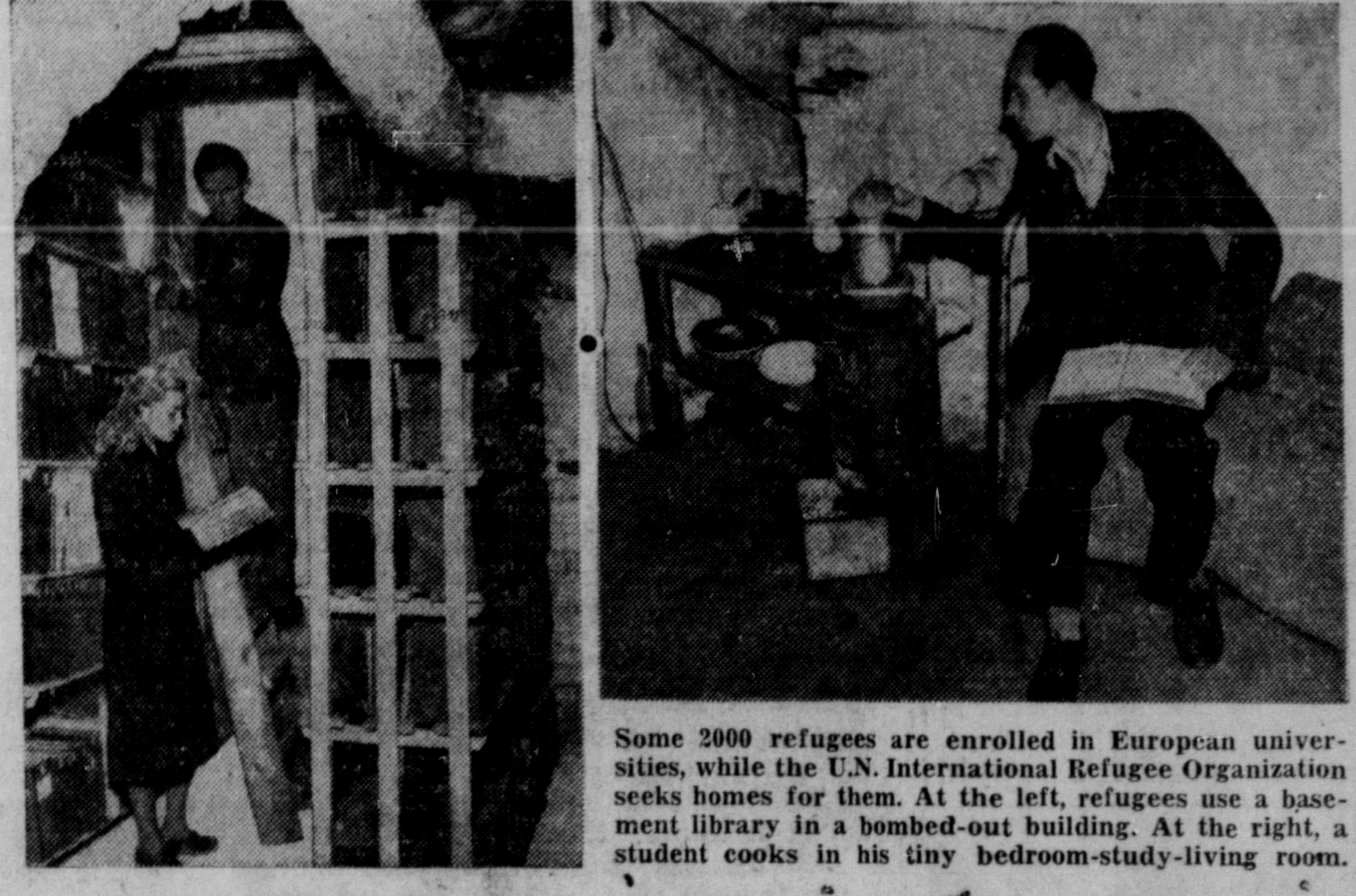
Ringside \$1.75 Adults \$1.25  
Students 60c (incl. Tax)

Macey's, Bud's, Grotto, Civic Centre T-T-S

PRINCE RECOVERING  
LONDON—Buckingham Palace disclosed today that Prince Charles is recovering from acute tonsillitis. A statement said that his temperature was normal and no complications were expected. Three doctors have been attending the year-old son of Princess Elizabeth for the last several days.

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## No Homeland, But Urge to Study Lives On



Some 2000 refugees are enrolled in European universities, while the U.N. International Refugee Organization seeks homes for them. At the left, refugees use a basement library in a bombed-out building. At the right, a student cooks in his tiny bedroom-study-living room.

## Snow Falls On Highway

Flowing Gully on Today And Incoming Visitors Predict "Perfect" Condition

Charles Finney, who is engaged in sinking a shaft near usk for contractors Wood, Parr & McClary so Dominion Water Power Branch may measure rise and fall of Skeena River water, drove into the city this morning from the interior through one-and-one-half feet of snow in the snow area east of Kwinitsa. Government snow plows, however, were out and by noon it was expected to have completed the plowing. "Then the road should be in perfect condition," Finney thought.

Snow started falling on the road Sunday and there was more Thursday and Friday. It was soft and damp but was firming up today with cooler temperature.

## BURGLARY TRY IN LADIES' STORE

Attempt was made some time before 11:45 last night, when police patrol found a rear basement door forced open, to enter the main store of Sweet Sixteen on Third Avenue. There were signs of a pinch bar indicating an attempt to break open another door leading from the basement to the main store floor above. This, however, had been, apparently, given up. A check of stock indicated that nothing had been taken.

## Mrs. Dutton Passes Away

A resident of thirty-four years standing in Prince Rupert, Mrs. Charlotte Dutton passed away Friday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. Michaloff, 534 Eleventh Ave. East. She had been in failing health for the last three years.

Mrs. Dutton was the widow of the late Llewellyn Dutton, who was with light department in the early days and who passed away in 1926. Born in St. Paul, Minnesota, seventy-three years ago, she came west as a young woman to Seattle and then to Victoria from which city she came to Prince Rupert. After the death of her husband in 1926 she moved to Kitwanga and had alternated residence between there and Prince Rupert since that time. There are four sons—Eugene Dutton, of Prince Rupert and Emory, Russell and Leon Dutton of Kitwanga and the one daughter, Mrs. C. Michaloff of Prince Rupert.

There will be a service Monday evening in the Grenville Court chapel of the B.C. Undertakers prior to the forwarding of the remains to Kitwanga where interment will be made.

HOCKEY  
Vancouver 5, Victoria 3.  
Portland 2, San Diego 2.  
Oakland 3, Fresno 6.

## ASKS RESIGNATION JUSTICE MINISTER

OTTAWA (CP)—George Drew, Progressive-Conservative leader, yesterday called for the resignation of Hon. Stewart Garson, minister of justice, because of "failure to observe the law" in delaying the tabling of the McGregor Combines report on the flour-milling industry.

## Old Country :: Football ::

(English League, First Div.)  
Aston Villa 1, Birmingham City 1  
Blackpool 4, Stoke City 2  
Charlton Athletic 1, Derby County 3  
Everton 0, Sunderland 2  
Fulham 1, Manchester United 0  
Huddersfield Town 3, Liverpool 2  
Manchester City 1, West Bromwich Albion 1  
Middlesborough 4, Burnley 1  
Newcastle United 2, Chelsea 2  
Portsmouth 2, Arsenal 1  
Wolverhampton Wanderers 1, Bolton Wanderers 1

(Second Division)  
Blackburn Rovers 0, Queen's Park Rangers 0  
Bradford 2, Coventry City 2  
Brentford 1, Grimsby Town 0  
Bury 2, Leeds United 0  
Cardiff City 3, Preston North End 2  
Chesterfield 0, Luton Town 1  
Hull City 0, Sheffield United 4  
Leicester City 2, Southampton 2  
Plymouth Argyle 2, Barnsley 2  
Sheffield Wednesday 2, West Ham United 1  
Tottenham Hotspur 3, Swansea Town 1  
(Association Cup, 2nd Round)  
Carlisle United 2, Swindon Town 0  
Chelmsford City 1, Ipswich Town 1  
Crew Alexandra 1, Oldham Athletic 1  
Doncaster Rovers 1, Mansfield Town 0  
Exeter City 2, Chester 0  
Hartlepool United 1, Norwich City 1  
Newport County 1, Gateshead 1  
Northampton Town 4, Torquay United 2  
Nottingham Forest 0, Stockport County 2  
Nuneaton 0, Moseley 0  
Port Vale 1, Tranmere Rovers 0  
Rochdale 1, Notts County 2  
Southport 2, Bradford City 1  
Watford 6, Netherfield 0  
Weymouth 2, Hereford United 1  
Rexham 2, Southend United 2  
Yeovil 3, Gillingham 1

(Other Matches)  
Bournemouth and Boscombe Athletic 7, Dundee United 2  
Bristol Rovers 0, Millwall 1  
Crystal Palace 2, Leyton Orient 0  
Darlington 5, Walsall 1  
Halifax Town 1, Bristol City 1  
Lincoln City 3, Brighton and Hove Albion 1  
Rotherham United 2, Reading 1  
Merthyr Tydfil vs. New Brighton cancelled owing to snow.  
(Scottish League Div. A)  
Celtic 0, St. Mirren 0  
Dundee 1, East Fife 0  
Hibernian 5, Falkirk 1  
Motherwell 4, Rangers 0  
Partick Thistle 5, Third Lanark 1  
Queen of the South 1, Aberdeen 0  
Raith Rovers 7, Clyde 1  
Stirling Albion 2, Hearts 4

(Division B)  
Albion Rovers 0, Arbroath 1  
Dunfermline Athletic 6, Alloa Athletic 2  
Forfar Athletic 2, Dunbarton 1  
Kilmarnock 2, Hamilton Academicals 0  
Morton 7, Ayr United 0  
Stenhousemuir 0, Cowdenbeath 1  
St. Johnstone 1, Airdrieonians 0.

## Victoria For City Manager

George Re-Elected Mayor After Close Contest

VICTORIA (CP)—Mayor Percy George was re-elected in the civic elections here Thursday, defeating Ald. M. Aubrey Kent in the closest mayoral election since Victoria was incorporated in 1862. The vote was:

George,	4,846
Kent,	4,615

Mr. George has been mayor since 1944.

The voters, by plebiscite, also chose the city manager form of government by a margin of four to one, the vote being 6744 for and 1,691 against.

Elections were held in twenty of British Columbia's cities. Mayors elected include N. C. Stubbs, Nelson, Ald. E. C. Westwood, Nanaimo; E. G. Fletcher, Trail.

Some other cities, including Vancouver and Prince George, will hold elections next week.

## Representative Sent To Jail

WASHINGTON, D.C. (CP)—Representative J. Parnell Thomas Republican, New Jersey, Friday received six to eighteen months in jail and a \$10,000 fine for cheating the government by "padding" his office payroll.

Immediately after sentence was pronounced, Thomas' wife announced: "I intend to seek the Congressional seat about to be vacated by my husband."

Mrs. Thomas told reporters that her husband's resignation was in the mails.

## Drill 500 Feet Down

Royalite Losing No Time On Graham Island

Drilling for oil on the Queen Charlottes has begun. Robert E. Stanhope, chief tool push with the Royalite Oil Co. at Skidegate, announced yesterday a depth of over 500 feet has been reached with the outfit that was recently set up.

Geologists have not determined the name of rock formation that has been reached, but it is of a hard sandy shale nature.

The drill was spudded in November 30 shortly after the third and final load of equipment was delivered from the beach head. A 10 3/4 inch casing is being used which required 145 bags of cement to construct.

Location of the drill is just north of Skidegate Mission on Graham Island.

## AIR PASSENGERS

To Vancouver (Today)—Miss D. Barrish, C.T. Lee, Mrs. I. Bolton, R. W. Walker, A. Dressel, Mrs. J. Richards.  
To Sandspit (Today)—D. Helmer.  
From Vancouver (Friday)—A. J. Dominato, Mrs. J. McNeil, Mr. Holliday.  
From Sandspit (Friday)—Mrs. Kelly, Mr. Milburn.

2 SHOPPING WEEKS LEFT

BUY CHRISTMAS SEALS.

INTERNATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP—International Skating for ladies, held in London, Eng., first time kind to be organized in 25 years, was won by Annette Altweg of England here, with trophy. Girls from five countries, Holland, Switzerland, Czechoslovakia and Britain, competed for Hamilton Trophy, a two-day silver cup.

LOCAL TIDES  
December 11, 1949

5:27	18.1 feet
17:09	18.6 feet
11:15	9.6 feet
23:49	5.4 feet

STOCKS  
Vancouver

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9.00
0.52 1/2
1.38
0.04
0.30
0.07
5.50
3.20
0.32 1/2
0.14
1.90
0.04
1.18
0.40
0.07
0.07

Canadian

4.20
0.22
1.14
0.42
7.70
1.25
12.00
0.14
1.70
3.75
0.32
0.06
3.90

Toronto

0.99 1/2
1.14 1/2
0.55
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0.62 1/2
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0.38 1/2
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0.04
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2.57
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