

# The Daily News

NORTHERN AND CENTRAL BRITISH COLUMBIA'S NEWSPAPER

PRINCE RUPERT, B.C., TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1939.

Tomorrow's Tides

High	9:24 a.m.	20.8 ft.
	22:11 p.m.	18.1 ft.
Low	2:49 a.m.	7.0 ft.
	15:52 p.m.	5.6 ft.

### Weather Forecast

Prince Rupert and Queen Charlotte Islands—Moderate to fresh shifting winds, cloudy and cool with showers.

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# Finland Strikes Back At Russia

## SOVIET DETERMINED TO SUBJUGATE FINLAND BY OVERWHELMING STRENGTH

All Moves For Peaceful Mediation Rejected Including Swedish and League of Nations Overtures—General Fighting is Being Resumed—Finns Holding Own

LONDON, December 5.—Russia is apparently resolved upon obtaining complete subjugation of Finland by armed force. The Soviet has made it apparent that she will be drawn into no peaceful mediation with the official government of her little neighbor. Yesterday Foreign Commissar Molotov rejected a call to attend sessions of the League of Nations council and assembly at Geneva to consider Finland's appeal against the Russian invasion.

**AMERICANS AROUSED**  
Pan-American Nations Demand Stringent Action Against Russia By League of Nations

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 5.—Nations of South America are uniting with the rest of the world in condemnation of the Russian invasion of Finland.

The Argentine government has proposed to the League of Nations that the Soviet be expelled from the League for violation of the League covenant through an act of aggression against a fellow member. Brazil, Bolivia and Uruguay have already associated themselves with Argentina's move. Unless stringent action is taken against Russia, Uruguay announces she will resign herself from the body.

**War Holiday At Christmas**  
ROME, Dec. 5.—Pope Pius will inquire through pontifical envoys in Berlin, London and Paris of the attitude of the German, British and French governments as to a cessation of hostilities over Christmas.

**Anti-Aircraft Fire Is Heard**  
LONDON, Dec. 5.—The Essex coast heard anti-aircraft guns in action yesterday although no enemy planes were in evidence.

**Raid on Murmansk**  
A surprise attack by Finnish planes on a Russian air base at Murmansk was also reported, claim being made that a number of new Russian planes had been destroyed by dropping of incendiary bombs.

**SHIPS BEING TAKEN OVER**  
LONDON, Dec. 5.—The British government has started requisitioning British ships for the North Atlantic trade route with Canada.

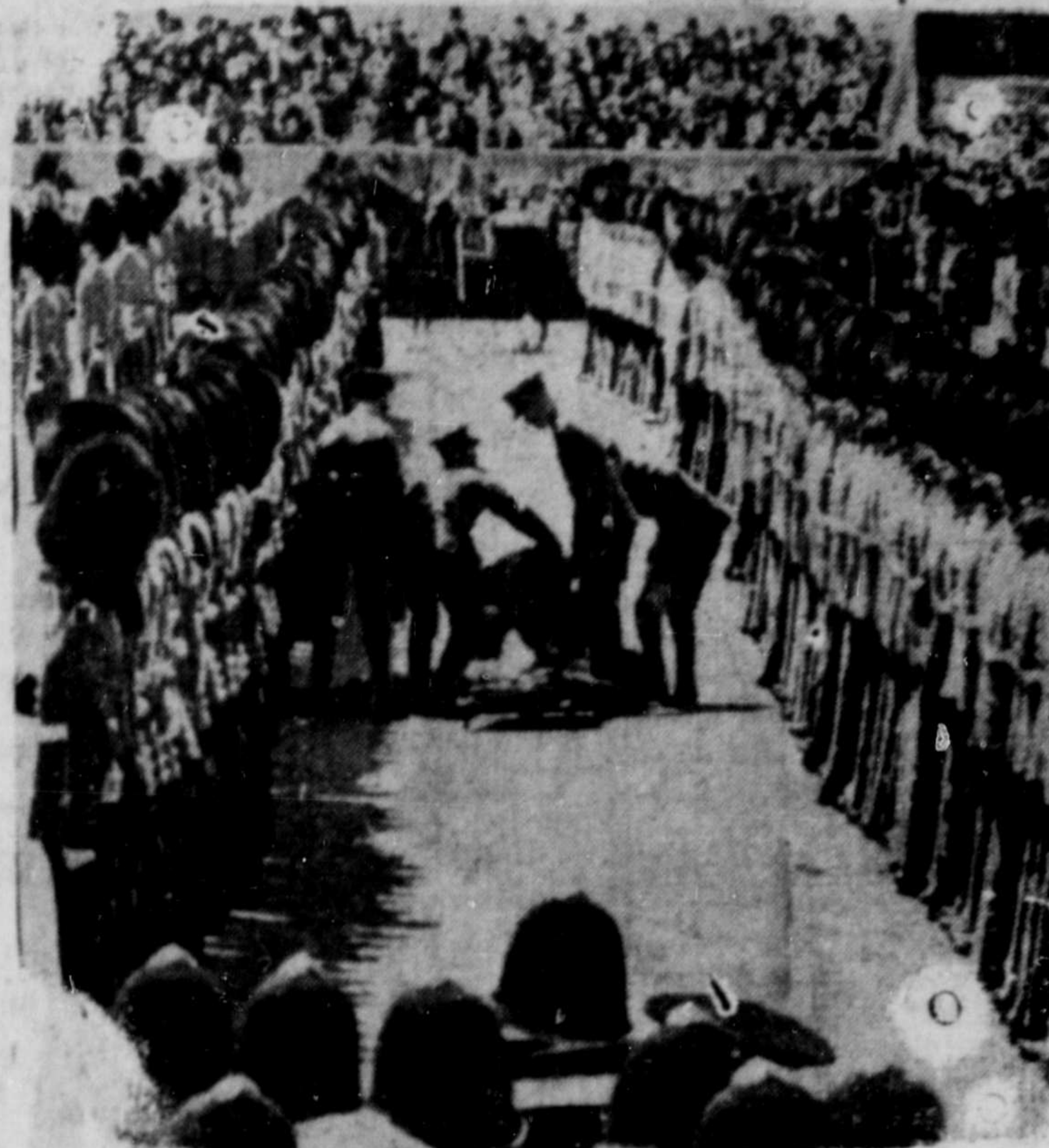
**Five Years Is Sentence Upon Kuhn**  
NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—Fritz Kuhn, German-American Bund leader, was today sentenced to prison for from tow-an-a-half to five years.

**Buffalo Asked For District**  
It was reported at the meeting of the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce last night that the buffalo at Wainwright were being killed off by the federal government and that the acting president had already sent representations to the Department of the Interior asking that some of them be placed in Northern British Columbia.

**Champagne Cache Cheers Up Scots**  
PARIS, Dec. 5.—"It is not such a bad war after all" said members of a Scottish regiment while digging a trench in France, found a cache of 150 bottle of excellent champagne of fine age and vintage.

**BAR GOLD**  
LONDON, (CP)—The Montreal price of bar gold on the London metal market was unchanged today at \$37.54 per fine ounce.

WHEN A KING'S GUARD SWOONED



Unprecedented is the word for this occurrence during the ceremony of the trooping of the colors. The famous Horse Guards' Parade ensured much discomfort in their gay, but heavy ceremonial trappings. One of the guards is shown on the ground here after he had been overcome outside Buckingham Palace.

## KING AND MINISTERS IN FRANCE

His Majesty Leaves for Front—Chancellor of Exchequer in Paris

PARIS, Dec. 5: (CP)—Following his unheralded arrival yesterday from England, King George left today by motor to visit the British front on the Western Front. He was accompanied by Viscount Gort, commander-in-chief of the British Army and his brother, the Duke of Gloucester. They travelled up to the front by automobile. The King crossed from England to France by destroyer, French warships and a squadron of airplanes went out into the channel to greet His Majesty. The object of his visit to the front, His Majesty said, was to see as many of the soldiers as possible and bring them words of comfort and encouragement.

The King, travelling in his powerful camouflaged car, began his first day of the British Expeditionary Force visit with an inspection of the Royal Air Force airbase and then went to a forward area.

Also arriving in France yesterday for consultation with the French government were Sir John Simon, Chancellor of the Exchequer, and Rt. Hon. Ronald H. Cross, minister of economic warfare. An official communique said that there was complete agreement between the British and the French on problems having to do with the conduct of the war. Military resources of the Allies would be greatly increased in the near future, the British Chancellor of the Exchequer said, as a result of contributions of the British Dominions. Hundreds of thousands of British troops already in France were only the vanguard of more which were to come.

## FEARFUL OF ITALY ALL RED MENACE FOR FINNS

Conference of Scandinavian Nations Sympathy for Victims of Russian Invasion Evident

STOCKHOLM, Dec. 5.—A conference of representatives of Norway, Denmark and Sweden has been called for Thursday to consider the menace of a continuation of Russian encroachment through Finland to the Scandinavian nations.

Some Italians are reported to have volunteered for service in the Finnish army but are receiving no official encouragement. It is said that Italy is considering sanctions against Russia in view of a "clear case of unprovoked aggression."

**Railway Line To Be Clear Tonight**  
Train Will Not Leave for East Before 9 p.m.—Inbound at Least Seven Hours Late

By means of temporary bridging of washouts at Kitsumkalum, it is expected traffic will be resumed by tonight on the line of the Canadian National Railways. Some time after 9 o'clock tonight, a train is to be dispatched for the East. The inbound train from the East, due at 11 o'clock tonight, is at least seven hours late.

## Bulletins

**SHOT TO DEATH**  
VANCOUVER—The body of Joseph Andrew Williams, 39, with a bullet wound in the head, has been found in the bush here. He was a store employee and had been missing since November 8. His father suspects foul play.

**GUNFIRE IN PARIS**  
PARIS—Anti-aircraft gunfire was heard yesterday afternoon in Paris when an unidentified plane passed overhead at great height.

**QUINTS MAKE GIFT**  
CALLANDER—The trustees of the Dionne quintuplets have made a \$1000 gift to the Red Cross, it being the first of a number that will be made. The quintos owe a lot to the Red Cross themselves for natal care, Dr. Allan Roy Daffoe says.

**Local Artillery Exchanges On Western Front**  
PARIS, Dec. 5:—Action in the Western Front yesterday consisted merely of local reciprocal artillery exchanges with some patrol skirmishes. Wintry storms brought the worst weather so far in the war and there was no aerial activity yesterday although a clearing up today permitted of reconnaissance flights. Some German raids were blasted by French artillery fire.

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## Esthonian Port, Taken Over by Soviet, Scene Of Bold Raid By Air

No Less Than Sixty Soviet Airplanes Reported To Have Been Destroyed at Murmansk in Another Daring Thrust

HELSINGFORS, December 5: (CP)—Finland reportedly struck back at Russia by air bombardment of Paldiski, Baltic port which Russia had leased from Estonia for a naval base. The reports lacked confirmation however. The Finns had declared Paldiski was the base for

## VICTIM OF BATTLESHIP

Admiral Scheer Believed Responsible For Sinking of Big British Freighter

LONDON, Dec. 5: (CP)—It was officially announced by the Admiralty last night that the 10,086-ton British freighter Doris Star had been attacked and sunk in the South Atlantic. The vessel is believed to have been the victim of the German pocket battleship Admiral Scheer which is known to be at large on the high seas. The Doris Star was laden with meat from Australia and New Zealand. There was no immediate word as to the fate of her crew of seventy. The Doris Star had accommodation for six passengers but there are believed to have been none aboard.

**Withdraw Either From Finland Or From League**  
GENEVA, Dec. 5:—Russia will have to make the decision of either withdrawing from Finland or retiring from the League of Nations as Japan, Italy and Germany have already done.

**Weather Forecast**  
General Synopsis—The pressure remains quite low off the British Columbia coast. Heavy rains have occurred over Vancouver Island while the weather has been mostly fair and mild.

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Thursday 9 p.m.	
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<b>From Alice Arm, Naas River and Port Simpson</b>	Tuesday 11:30 a.m.
<b>For Queen Charlotte Islands</b>	December 15 and 29 9:30 p.m.
<b>From Queen Charlotte Islands</b>	December 13 and 27 a.m.
<b>For Alaska</b>	December 14 and 30 a.m.
<b>From Alaska</b>	December 7 and 18 p.m.



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**BEAUTIFUL, POPULAR PRINCESS**

**Duchess of Argyll Held Lasting Interest for Canadians**

LONDON, Dec. 5. (CP)—Princess Louise, the Duchess of Argyll, who is dead at the age of 91, was in youth the best looking and throughout her life was the best liked of Queen Victoria's several daughters. To Canadians it should be a special point of interest that Princess Louise and her brother, the Duke of Connaught, have enjoyed prolonged and influential association with Canada.

The Duke of Connaught was Governor-General during five momentous years which included the early period of the Great War and the Princess Louise was the wife of The Marquis of Lorne, one of his predecessors in that exalted position. Her five-year stay at Ottawa from 1878 to 1883 may now be only a memory, even to Canadians of the older generation; but it is a matter of half a century ago but it covered an important stage in the development of the Dominion and was surrounded by an atmosphere of romance and adventure which one cannot expect to encounter in the more settled conditions of the Canada of today.

The Marquess of Lorne (later the Duke of Argyll) was only 33 when he shouldered the responsibilities of the Governor-Generalship and his wife was three years younger. For both, inexperienced as they were in the discharge of vice-regal duties and untravellers in the vast country whither they were bound, the enterprise involved a considerable test of courage and it required the exercise of all Lord Beaconsfield's persuasive powers to induce them to embark upon it.

**Great Undertaking**

Canada in those days—July 1878—seemed a long way off. So much so that Queen Victoria's dislike of her daughter being so far out of reach had also to be overcome. The crossing of the Atlantic was still rather an "undertaking" and the interior of Canada appeared almost an illimitable, unknown and inaccessible region.

The statesmen at home, however, managed to smooth out all doubts and difficulties and, towards the end of November, 1878, the distinguished voyagers landed at Halifax.

It would be impossible to indicate the range of the Princess's manifold activities in the public interest over 60 years and more. There was no branch of charitable, civil, religious and social duty in which she had not borne her part.

Many gracious acts and speeches testified to her special interest in the troops. Scottish regiments in particular. She was Colonel-in-Chief of the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders, to which are allied two Canadian militia regiments, the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders of Canada (Princess Louise's) and the Calgary Highlanders.

**Marriage Was Precedent**

The first British princess to marry a commoner, Princess Louise's marriage to the Marquis of Lorne was solemnized in St. George's Chapel, Windsor, with splendid ceremonial March 21, 1871, when the bride was 23 and the bridegroom 26. The Marquess was the

eldest son and heir of the powerful eighth Duke of Argyll, who was at the time a prominent member of a Gladstonian Cabinet as Secretary of State for India. Lord Lorne himself was also in Parliament, a member of the House of Commons, at this period.

The wedding was the culmination of a romance which delighted the whole nation. Popular sentiment whole-heartedly approved the match, for the well-favored lovers commanded everybody's goodwill, and another reason for general rejoicing was that the union marked the breach of a worn-out tradition that only a scion of a royal house could be a suitable mate for a British Princess.

The Marquess of Lorne succeeded his father in the Dukedom in 1900. Thenceforth, the princess spent much of her time happily at his beautiful Argyllshire residence, until the Duke's sadly sudden death from double pneumonia on May 2, 1914, since when her life again centred in London.

Princess Louise is survived by one brother, the Duke of Connaught, and one sister, Princess Beatrice.

Besides Canada, Princess Louise also travelled extensively in other parts of the Empire.

fax from the Allan liner Sarmatian to commence a course of state service which, if it yielded nothing wonderful in political achievement, was, in the personal and popular sense, a conspicuous success. From the beginning the best of relations existed between Government House and the Canadian people and ere long the late Sir John Macdonald, then Premier was writing: "Lord Lorne is a right good fellow—a good Canadian."

The Princess shared with the Governor-General a great enthusiasm for the natural beauties and grandeur of Canada and his friendly feeling towards her people, as one was afterwards to learn from His Excellency's own sketchy but vivid record of incidents of his sojourn in the Dominion. Always more the literary man than the politician, and having a keen poetic sense, Lord Lorne plied both pen and pencil most industriously in praise of Canada.

One important event which inspired a sonnet from his pen was the bestowal of the name Alberta upon a newly constituted province, in the Princess's honor, Alberta being one of her Christian names.

The incompleteness of railway communication in the Dominion hampered travel beyond the limits of the eastern provinces but the vice-regal party made one great trek westward of more than 1,200 miles, during which a portion of a new province was traversed. Canadians can make some comparison of Alberta's state then and now by one fact alone—that while Lord Lorne prophesied a future for Calgary it had no population in 1881.

The Princess, who was the fourth daughter of Queen Victoria, was born at Buckingham Palace, and at baptism received the names of Caroline Alberta in addition to that by which she was subsequently known.

As everybody now realizes, the system of child training in the royal household if strict was admirably efficient and Princess Louise by the time she escaped from the nursery had reached proficiency in several studies. After ordinary educational trials had ceased constant attendance with her mother at state and ceremonial functions must sometimes have imposed unwelcome restraint though perhaps tending to develop that spirit of devotion to public service which has manifested in the whole of her long life.

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**CRERAR IS SITKA GETS RETURNING COASTGUARD**

Canadian Minister Now Engaged in Clearing Up Certain Financial and Trade Matters      Commander Ryan Officially Opens His Headquarters At Ancient Alaska Port

LONDON, Dec. 5. (CP)—Hon. T. A. Crerar, Canadian minister of mines and resources, is leaving for Canada within a week or ten days after clearing up certain financial and trade matters outstanding between Great Britain and Canada. Mr. Crerar has been here for several weeks to attend meetings of the Empire cabinet ministers.

SITKA, Dec. 5.—A coastguard cutter or patrol boat will be kept at Sitka after the beginning of the next fishing season, Commander Michael Ryan announces. Sitka has been seeking a coastguard boat because members of the trolling fleet there frequently have difficulty in storms. Coastguard headquarters for Alaska have been officially opened. Records and equipment are being sent up from the Seattle office which has been handling head-

quarters work for the new district of the coastguard. Additional personnel also will be transferred from Seattle. The number to be sent here has not been determined. Commander Ryan signed a lease for headquarters rooms on the third floor of the Commercial Building. Although the service has occupied the rooms for two months final papers were not signed until recently. The lease extends until July.

**C.N.R. TRAINS**

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Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays	8 p.m.
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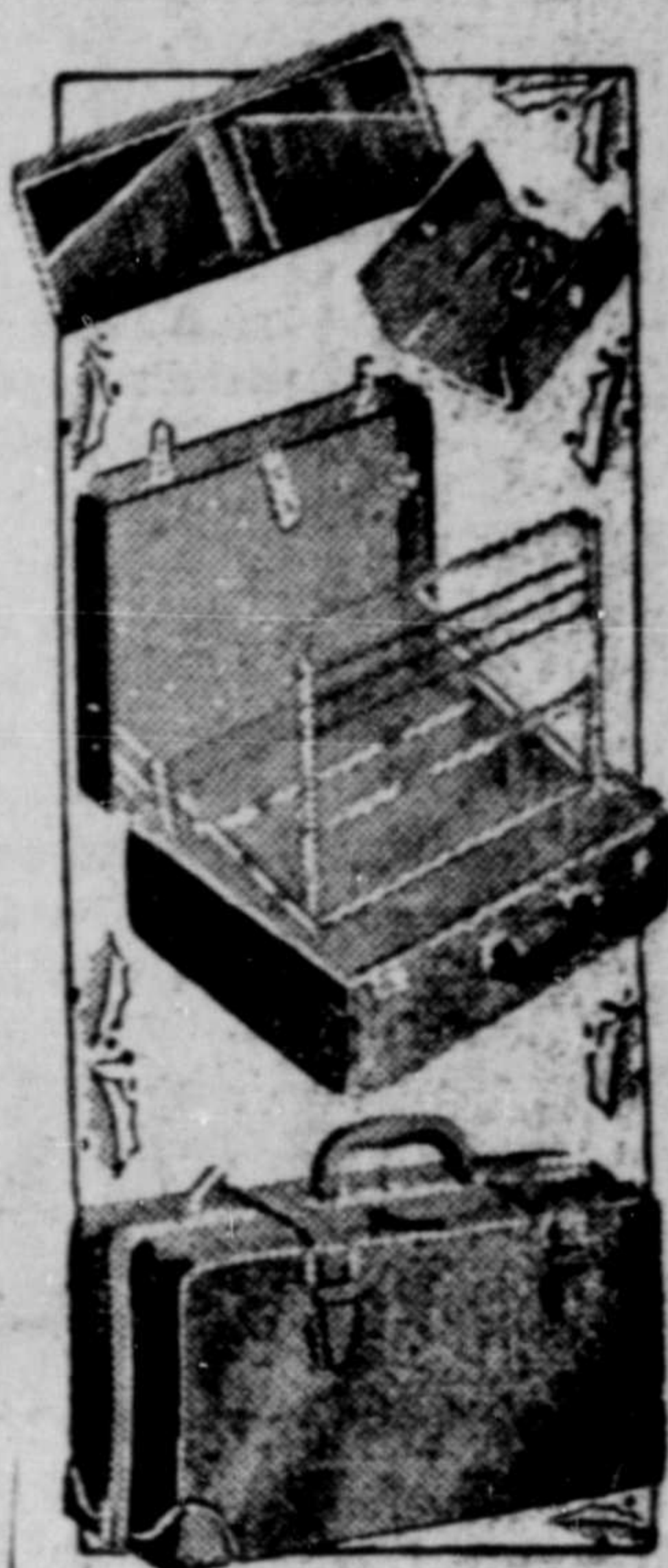
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Individual scoring was as follows:

Table with columns for Gyro Club, Canadian Scottish, and individual players like Bulger, Brocklesby, Large, etc.

The league standing to date is as follows:

League Standing table with columns for W, L, Pts and rows for Gyro Club, C. N. R. A., etc.

QUEEN MARY'S EX-SKIPPER AS LANDLUBBER



Busy with his hedge-trimming shears is pictured Captain R. V. Peel, commodore of the Cunard White Star fleet...

SPORT CHAT

Toronto Maple Leafs and Montreal Canadiens, divided by two points, are still the pace-makers in the National Hockey League...

NEW YORK COPPER

NEW YORK, Dec. 5.—Copper was unchanged to .06 lower on the New York metal market yesterday.

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Steamship Sailings

Table listing steamship sailings for Vancouver, Stewart and Premier, Queen Charlotte Islands, and Alaska.

Canada At War 25 Years Ago

By The Canadian Press

Dec. 5, 1914—Serbian government declared Serbia would never make peace without Allied consent.

Announcements

All advertisements in this column will be charged for a full month at 25c a word.

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Vancouver Takes Lead In Hockey

VANCOUVER, Dec. 5: (CP)—Vancouver Lions went into the lead in the Pacific Coast Hockey League last night by scoring a close 5 to 4 victory over the Seattle Sea Hawks.

Hockey Standings

Table showing National League hockey standings for teams like Toronto, Canadiens, Rangers, etc.

TENDER FOR CONSTRUCTION OF BRIDGES AT PRINCE RUPERT, B.C. SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "TENDERS FOR BRIDGES" will be received until 12 o'clock noon Wednesday December 26th, 1939.

