

The Daily News

NORTHERN AND CENTRAL BRITISH COLUMBIA'S NEWSPAPER

PRINCE RUPERT, B.C., THURSDAY, MAY 16, 1940.

Weather Forecast

Prince Rupert and Queen Charlotte Islands — Fresh south to southwest winds, cloudy and cool with showers.

Tomorrow's Tides

High 9:55 a.m. 18.0 ft.
22:18 p.m. 20.5 ft.
Low 3:35 a.m. 5.9 ft.
15:56 p.m. 5.7 ft.

Battle Tide Turning To Allies

COMMISSION REPORT PROPOSES EIGHT CHANGES IN FINANCES

Provinces Would Give Up Income, Corporation Taxing Authority; Dominion Would Assume Provincial Debt

OTTAWA, May 16: (CP)—A revamped Confederation set-up to smooth the path for full realization of objectives laid down in 1867 was envisioned today in a historic report of the Royal Commission on Dominion-Provincial Relations presented at opening of Parliament. Four commissioners, bolstered by a staff of experts which included some of the best brains of the country, presented a simplified financial course for the Canadian ship of state. It was the product of an examination that started in November, 1937.

The report records Canada's progress to nationhood. It outlines a broad plan calculated to remove causes of friction and financial difficulties and to permit the preservation of the ideals of the Fathers of Confederation.

For the first time in 73 years the people of Canada had a chance to look at themselves. In its report, the commission recommended the bringing up to date of the machinery through which the Fathers of Confederation sought to obtain their ends of national unity and progress.

Appointed in August, 1937, the reporting commission was composed of four distinguished Canadians—

Chief Justice Rinfret of the Supreme Court of Canada, retired because of illness before the hearings began, being succeeded by Dr. Sir. The commissioners worked for more than a year compiling their lengthy report after sitting in public for the last time in December, 1938.

The commission's long-range plan, in general, would shuffle the financial powers and responsibilities of Canada's various governments for the attainment of "real autonomy" for the provinces in local matters and give effective federal control in fields where national interest is paramount. Jurisdictions are also clarified.

The sweeping financial plan, which is the core of the commission's proposals, would cost the Dominion government approximately \$40,000,000 a year under present conditions.

The plan calls for Dominion assumption of entire responsibility for relief of unemployed employables, which would have meant an added Dominion expenditure of \$50,000,000 in 1939. It also calls for the federal government taking over all existing provincial debt, involving service charges of around \$60,000,000 a year.

To compensate the Dominion, the provincial governments would be asked to withdraw from the income, corporation and inheritance tax fields, which could be expected to yield about \$65,000,000 a year. They would also give up their present right to subsidies from the Dominion which average around \$20,000,000 a year.

Where this transfer did not enable all provincial governments to provide a national standard of services and balance their budgets, without excessive local taxation, the federal authority would provide supplementary funds to take care of the deficiency.

These national adjustment

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FINAL BULLETINS

THREE TO ONE FOR BRITISH

LONDON—The Air Ministry announced today that the "kill inflicted on enemy aircraft is working out at more than three to one in our favor" in western front fighting. This statement was made co-incidentally with another declaring that the Royal Air Force has unleashed the greatest bombing attack on military objectives in Germany east of the Rhine and has thrown its power into Belgian fighting with extensive attacks on Nazi troop concentrations and communication lines. Many tons of bombs were released "in attacks that lasted throughout the night," the Air Ministry announced. Sixty German planes were brought down during the night's raiding. The conditions were sent out, each with definite objectives. One British squadron lost one plane. Another lost two.

GUARD AGAINST PARACHUTISTS

LONDON—The Ministry of Home Security said that "there now is risk of enemy parachutists attempting to land in this country" and warned motorists to keep their cars out of German hands. All car owners should see from dusk to dawn that vehicles cannot be taken away. The ministry recommended locking cars in garages and removing spark plugs. Meantime the round-up of enemy aliens between 16 and 60 years of age has been extended from certain areas along the east coast to all of England. Up to an early hour this morning 2000 alleged "fifth columnists" had been taken into custody in London alone.

GOT MUCH GOLD

BERLIN—It is claimed here that, in the conquest of Holland, the Germans seized \$104,000,000 of Dutch gold.

SWISS SITUATION TENSE

SHAFFHAUSEN, Switzerland—Swiss and German military authorities closed the Swiss and German frontier on the Rhine on both sides from Basel to Lake Constance. A Zurich dispatch said that a Swiss anti-aircraft battery had hit a German bombing plane over Swiss territory but the plane had landed in Germany. Britons residing in Switzerland have been asked to leave the country. The British legation at Berne has burned its records.

GERMANY STAKES ALL

PARIS—The Allied Supreme War Council met here today. Premier Paul Reynaud told the Chamber of Deputies that Germany has "decided to stake its all" on a western front offensive and will be defeated. He declared that the German thrust through the low country was aimed "at the heart of France." "When all can seem lost," declared Reynaud "the world will see what France is capable of." He said: "Life counts for nothing. Only one thing counts. That is to maintain France."

MEANTIME IN BALKANS

ATHENS—Greece poured troop reinforcements today into the mountainous frontier region facing Albania. The Greek Premier, George Matsas, has taken the lead in an effort to keep the Balkans out of war. Russia would support such a move.

ITALY AND UNITED STATES

WASHINGTON—United States diplomatic authorities advised American citizens to leave Italy as soon as possible. Ambassador William Phillips yesterday delivered a message from President Franklin D. Roosevelt to the Italian authorities. The message, believed to have been sent personally to Premier Mussolini, is said to be in an effort to prevent the spread of war by Italy's entry.

NAMED TO CABINET

Further Appointments Announced By Premier Churchill

LONDON, May 16: (CP)—Prime Minister Winston Churchill completed the new government last night with the following appointments:

Secretary for Petroleum (a new post)—Geoffrey Lloyd.
Paymaster General—Viscount Cranborne.
Lord Advocate—Thomas M. Cooper.

Solicitor-General—Sir William Jowitt.
Secretary for Mines—David R. Grenfell.

Secretary of the Department of Overseas Trade—Harcourt Johnstone.

Re-Appointments
Postmaster General—W. S. Morrison.
Minister of Pensions—Sir Walter Womersley.

Attorney General—Sir Ronald Somerswell.
Solicitor General for Scotland—James C. S. Reid.

Financial Secretary to the Treasury—Capt. Harry Crookshank.
Civil Lord of Admiralty—Austin U. M. Hudson.

Reservists To Victoria

Another draft of members of the local unit of the Royal Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve left today for Esquimalt to go into training at naval barracks. They were Able Seamen William Murdoch and Norman McLeod, Ordinary Seamen James McG. Irvine, C. E. Irvine, C. E. Mills, M. J. T. Fortune, George Brown, Robert McKay, J. C. Shelford and R. C. McNab, Stoker H. C. Ross and Victualling Assistant Dan McDonaid.

HALIBUT SALES

Summary
American—40,000 pounds, 9.6c and 7.5c.
Canadian—59,000 pounds, 9.8c and 7c to 10.1c and 7c.
American
Resolute, 40,000, 9.6c and 7.5c.
Canadian
Norman, 8,000, 10.1c and 7c, Storage.
Advance II, 11,500, 10.1c and 7c, Storage.
Mother II, 10,500, 9.8c and 7c, Pacific.
Helen II, 14,500, 9.9c and 7c, Atlin.
Polaris M., 5,000, 9.6c and 7c, Atlin.
Reward, 10,500, 10c and 7c, Edmunds & Walker.

Allies Are Holding Out All Along Line Today With Nazi Attacks Having Huge Losses

NAZIS ARE WITHSTOOD BY ALLIES

Gunfire of Terrific Battle in Belgium and France Shook Houses As Far Away as Deal, England

British Air Force Might

Is Proving One of Most Embarrassing Stumbling Blocks in Way of German Drive

LONDON, May 16: (CP)—An official bulletin from the British War Office announced that the British Expeditionary Force in Belgium, after hard fighting, had successfully withstood a series of German attacks.

Gunfire from battles raging in Belgium and France shook houses at Deal on the southeast coast of England.

East of the Rhine the British Air Force started late yesterday and continued all last night the heaviest air attack so far in the war, inflicting heavy damage upon the enemy's lines of communication and troop concentrations. The German advances were definitely slowed down.

In Belgium Liege forts are still holding out. All along the line between Namur and Sedan the Nazis are being held in check as the full-fledged war movement develops. Heavy Allied counter attacks continue.

Unless resistance from Brussels is discontinued, the Germans have threatened to bomb the Belgian capital again.

Paris admits that the Germans have succeeded in getting thirty ton tanks across the Meuse River. The regular bridges had been destroyed and it had not been believed that such ponderous war machinery could have been transported across on pontoon bridges.

The campaign generally is assuming the aspect of open warfare. Military spokesmen emphasize again that the Maginot Line has never been pierced nor outflanked near Sedan.

A new threat to the Allied lines came yesterday from a German thrust between Namur, Belgium, and Sedan, ten miles inside of France. An earlier French counter-attack was checked by a German advance across the river south of Sedan and reduced a ten-mile German salient to four miles. Last night the Germans are reported to have made at least three crossings north of the main passage of the Meuse River near Sedan.

German motorized units yesterday "penetrated deeply into the French defence system" at Sedan, the French High Command announced. In the presence of this new situation the French had launched a "war of movement," it was stated. German tanks broke through the Allied positions on the west bank of the Meuse and Allied forces withdrew to new positions. A war ministry spokesman at that time said: "The critical situation is serious but not critical."

Details Of Meuse Situation
The German motorized forces which broke through near Sedan and penetrated the French defence system were supported by planes

French General at Sedan Claims His Forces Are in Complete Control—British Assist Belgians in Throwing Enemy Out of Louvain

PARIS, May 16: (CP)—The French general in immediate command of the Sedan sector advised headquarters tonight that his forces "are complete masters of the situation" and will regain full control of their front within one week. A war ministry spokesman said that the Germans are under counter attack by French air forces and

KEEP OUT OF ITALY

Americans Advised to Travel Via French Port of Bordeaux Rather Than Genoa

GENEVA, May 16: (CP)—The United States consulate has been instructed by Washington to advise Americans leaving European countries for home to concentrate at Bordeaux instead of Genoa, apparently lest Italy should abandon "non-belligerency."

Yugoslavia Sounds Out Greek Stand

BELGRADE, May 16: (CP)—Yugo-Slavia is reported reliably to have sounded out Greece on what assistance the Greeks might give in the event of an Italian attack.

and a general battle involving German and French tanks, infantry and planes then began.

A military spokesman said it was possible the German motorized columns had advanced fairly deeply into the French defences but he said, they were not backed by large infantry forces since the German infantry was engaged by the French.

The Germans threw even greater forces than previously against the Meuse line between Namur and Sedan, making the greatest effort in the Sedan area where the break-through occurred.

The Netherlands surrender to make way for the German occupation applies to all but one of eleven provinces. The order of the Dutch commander-in-chief, General Winkelman, was to lay down arms everywhere but in Zeeland in the hope of saving "at least a small part of our beautiful country."

A radio address yesterday by Queen Wilhelmina from London reiterated that the Dutch resistance to Germany following the barbarous invasion of an offensive and peace-loving nation, which had made every effort to preserve its neutrality, would continue at the side of the Allies.

Allied Planes Effective In Breaking Up Enemy Tank And Troop Concentrations In War

LONDON, May 16.—The Air Ministry announced that 150 Allied planes attacking German formations in the Low Countries broke up large tank and troop concentrations and blocked the roads.

A Reuters' despatch announces that the Germans have occupied Amsterdam and other Dutch cities.

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EDITORIAL

ILLEGAL ORGANIZATION

The Communist party is an illegal organization, according to the judgment of Mr. Justice Chevrier of the Supreme Court of Ontario. This judgment is binding throughout Canada so it means that the local communist club is an illegal club and its members, if there still are some, are liable to prosecution. Also all the activities of former members are liable to close scrutiny.

The objection to the Communists is that their chief allegiance seems to be to a foreign country and that cannot be tolerated at a time like this in Canada. They also advocate a revolutionary change in the constitution of the country which is illegal.

WE SHALL WIN

It is said that the British usually lose all their battles except the last in any war. While that is an exaggeration it must not be supposed that, because the Germans have attacked and defeated the Poles, and to some extent the Norwegians and Dutch, they can continue to win to the end. The Allies will win. It is so written in the book, according to authorities. A Germanic peace is out of the question. We shall probably suffer more defeats before the war is over, plenty of them, and the loss of man power will be great, but they will have fulfilled their mission in life and will have died for the betterment of mankind, like hundreds of other saviours.

MEN LOOKED FINE

The Irish Fusiliers, which have gone away, to further fit themselves for the big work they have to do, looked fine in their final march out. They presented a very different appearance from what they did when they first arrived. As one bystander remarked "they certainly looked like business." They should give a good account of themselves if they get an opportunity to meet the enemy. Many of them made good friends in the city, all of whom were sorry to see them go. The new men who have taken their places will, it is hoped, be welcomed to the city, in similar style.

AFTER THE WAR

Some people are still worrying about the kind of peace likely to be made and also about the settlement of after-war problems. These can safely be left for the present. The first thing is to win the war. Should the Germans win, they will either settle the after war problems or take a large toll from those who have something and let the others starve as they did in Poland. It is sure that the socialists and communists will have nothing to say about how they are to be governed.

(Meet Her in a Meter Cab)

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4 Can Ride for Price of One

ILLEGALIZE COMMUNISTS

Request Followed Conviction Of Three Ottawa Men Under Defence Of Canada Regulations

OTTAWA, May 16: (CP)— Request for a court order declaring the Communist Party of Canada an illegal organization followed the conviction of three Ottawa men on charges of contravening the Defence of Canada regulations by publishing and circulating anti-war pamphlets. The illegalization order was granted yesterday by Mr. Justice Chevier.

FINE FILM WITH SHOW

Program of Hodgson Dance Revue Augmented by Picture of Kipling's "Light That Failed"

As an added attraction to the annual Hodgson Dancing Academy dance revue tonight and Thursday at the Capitol Theatre, the picturization of Rudyard Kipling's vibrant action romance "The Light That Failed," a best seller since its first appearance as a novel in 1891, is being presented with a cast headed by Ronald Colman, Walter Huston, Ida Lupino, Muriel Angelus, Dudley Digges.

Often called Kipling's most "virile" and "meteoric" work, "The Light That Failed" covers a full generation of English life at the close of the last century and includes in its broad sweep the brilliant Sudan campaign of the '90's which conquered that wild country. The action is built around the career of Dick Helder, his childhood sweetheart, Maisie and a street wail named Bessie who comes to play an important part in his life.

GANSTER AMBITIONS

IPSWICH, Eng., May 16: (CP)— Reformatory for three years was the sentence on four boys calling themselves the "Dead End Kids" who stole bicycles for money to go to America as "real gangsters."

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WANTED

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Trolling boat Tekla O., complete with trolling gurdies, trolling gear and dinghy. Boat can be inspected at the Fishermen's Floats. Sealed bids will be received at the office of the Prince Rupert Fishermen's Co-operative Association until 2 p.m. May 31, 1940. A reserve bid has been submitted by the owner. (116)

FOR SALE—Baby Buggy, \$8. Apply Johnson's Grocery. (118)

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the undersigned until close of office Tuesday May 21st for cottage at 417 Dunsuir Street. 4 rooms and bath and full basement. Highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Terms—50 per cent cash and the balance spread over reasonable period. Chesterfield suite and Heintzman piano for sale separately. Official Administrator. (120)

TODAY'S STOCKS

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Dentonia, .01 1/4.	
Fairview, .01.	
Gold Belt, 22.	
Hedley Mascot, .40.	
Minto, .02 1/2.	
Noble Flye, .00 1/4.	
Pend Orielle, 1.35.	
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C. & E., 1.45.	
Freehold, .02 1/2.	
Home, 1.58.	
Royal Can., .15 1/4.	
Okalta, .80.	
Mercury, .04 1/2.	
Prairie Royalties, 12 1/2.	
Toronto	
Aldermac, 17.	
Beattie, 95.	
Central Pat., 1.95.	
Cons. Smelters, 33.00.	
East Malartic, 2.99.	
Fernland, .03.	
Francour, .26.	
Gods Lake, .31.	
Hardrock, .75.	
Int. Nickel, \$1.50.	
Kerr Addison, 2.04.	
Little Long Lac, 2.25.	
McLeod Cockshutt, 1.49.	
Madsen Red Lake, .30.	
McKenzie Red Lake, 1.05.	
Moneta, .55.	
Noranda, 59.75.	
Pickle Crow, 2.77.	
Preston East Dome, 1.80.	
San Antonio, 1.81.	
Sheritt Gordon, .74.	
Uchi, .41.	
Bouscadillac, .03 1/2.	
Mosher, .05.	
Oklend, .04 1/2.	
Smelters Gold, .00 1/2.	
Dominion Bridge, 26.75.	

SPEAKERS ARE NAMED

James A. Glen to Preside Over House of Commons and W. E. Foster Over Senate

OTTAWA, May 16: (CP)— The new Speaker, J. A. Glen of Marquette, who was installed at the opening of Parliament today, is all-powerful in Parliamentary affairs of the Commons, but played a humble role in his first official duty. When he went to the Senate after his election to hear the speech from the throne, he was recognized in the upper house and made a short speech which started: "The House of Commons have elected me as their Speaker though I am but little able to fulfil the important duties thus assigned to me."

Noon For Opening

On opening day, Parliament convened at noon, instead of the usual 3 p.m. opening hour. The Commons was temporary without a Speaker and Dr. Arthur Beauchesne, clerk of the house, acted from his chair at the clerk's table at the foot of the empty speaker's chair.

The gentleman usher of the black rod went from the Senate to the lower house to summon the Commons to the upper house and the members of the Commons then proceeded to the Senate, led by Dr. Beauchesne. The mace remained behind in the green chamber.

In the Senate the administrator of government informed the Commons that they must elect a speaker so they walked back to the chamber where Dr. Beauchesne again held forth. But he has no voice in the proceedings of the Commons and he called upon Prime Minister Mackenzie King to nominate a Speaker by merely pointing at the government leader.

Mr. King then nominated a member of the House, it was seconded and the House approved. The whole matter customarily is settled before and the nomination and election is a formality. The election by the Commons of James

A. Glen of Marquette, Manitoba, was unanimous.

The Speaker was escorted to the chair by the mover and seconder and he thanked the House for the honor bestowed on him.

Formal Opening

The House then adjourned to 3 p.m. for the formal opening when the commoners went to the Senate for the throne speech, led by their new Speaker and accompanied this time by the mace, held head down by the sergeant-at-arms because the Speaker had not been recognized and made his speech with humble introduction.

The remainder of the speech is: "If in the performance of those duties I should at any time fall into error, I pray that the fault may be imputed to me and not to the Commons, whose servant I am, and who, through me, the better to enable them to discharge their duty to their King and country, humbly claim all their undoubted rights and privileges, especially that they may have freedom of speech at all reasonable times and that their proceedings may receive from your excellency the most favorable construction."

Speaker of Senate

A Speaker of the Senate also was appointed by the government but it does not involve any ceremony. He merely takes his place in the Senate when Parliament opens. Before Parliament officially opened the Senators assembled to install Hon. George Parent of Quebec as the Speaker in succession to Hon. W. E. Foster of New Brunswick.

It's the cumulative effect of advertising that counts.

Gyro Activities For Year Are Up At Club Luncheon

Reports on the year's activities were presented yesterday at the regular monthly business luncheon of the Prince Rupert Gyro Club. Supervised playgrounds will be operated as usual during the summer months with Neil Ross, who was here last season again in charge. Arrangements are proceeding to institute the campaign with a view to raising funds for the community centre project. President G. A. Hunter was in the chair at the luncheon and there was a good attendance of Gyro members.



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LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Miss Kay Watson is sailing tonight on the Prince George for a vacation trip to Vancouver and elsewhere in the south.

Mlle. Juliette Gaultier de la Verendrye will sing French Canadian Folk Songs in costume and display French Canadian handicraft in the United Church Friday 3 p. m. Everyone welcome.

Jack Hilditch, pioneer local boy, was in the city this morning renewing acquaintances while going north aboard the Princess Louise to Carcross. For the past two years he has been located in Connecticut. He expects to be coming south again during the summer.

Speaking on folklore of the early French colonists of Canada as well as of the aboriginal peoples of the Dominion and singing a few appropriate songs, Miss Gaultier de la Verendrye was the guest speaker today at the regular weekly luncheon of the Prince Rupert Rotary Club. Miss Verendrye's discourse was of diverting interest and was much appreciated by a good attendance of Rotary Members with several guests. The president, Peter Lakie, was in the chair.

Legion Tea And Spring Sale Is Successful Event

The Canadian Legion rooms presented an attractive appearance yesterday afternoon when the Women's Auxiliary held its annual spring tea and sale.

Red, white and blue streamers, with a large Union Jack as background, were the decorations while everywhere on the tea and sales tables were the beautiful golden blossoms of the broom-fitting emblem of spring.

Mrs. Henry Smith, President of the Auxiliary, presided with Mrs. Wm. Goodsell as cashier. Miss Dorothy Smith, as head of the entertainment committee, had charge of arrangements, ably assisted by Mrs. Boulter, sr., Mrs. John Lawrie and Mrs. Angus MacIntosh with Mrs. William Rothwell, Mrs. L. Wide and Mrs. C. Michaloff as servers. Mrs. H. B. Eastman and Mrs. Taylor poured tea and coffee; Mrs. A. Wilson and Mrs. Dan Parent had charge of novelty tables. Mrs. W. R. Overend and Mrs. F. Barber had the raffles and Mrs. W. F. Robertson and Mrs. Alex Guyan looked after the home cooking. Mrs. John Bremner was fortune-teller.

As usual, the affair was most successful.

Guns Of Local Forts Function In Good Style

A complete and highly satisfactory target practice was carried out during Tuesday from the guns of the newly established fortifications at Barrett and Frederic Points protecting the entrance of Prince Rupert Harbor. Several salvos fired out to sea demonstrated a remarkable degree of technical skill and accuracy. It was a striking demonstration of what value these fortifications might be under certain circumstances in the protection of the port. Capt. A. G. Rix and Capt. J. T. Harvey were in charge of the guns and, with their men as well as the other officers, fully proved their ability in "manning the guns."

William Trotter sailed this morning on the Princess Louise for a business trip to Dawson and other Yukon points.

William Lambie sailed yesterday afternoon on the Prince George to make the round trip to Stewart on business.

B. Dunroe of Port Clements is a visitor in the city, having arrived on the Prince John this morning from the Queen Charlotte Islands.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Adams arrived in the city on the Prince John this morning from Massett, being on their way to Inverness cannery where they will spend the summer.

Howard Phillips, son of B. T. Phillips, Indian Agent for the Queen Charlotte Islands, arrived in the city on the Prince John this morning from Massett.

M. L. Stepp, who has been in the city for the past week following a trip to Seattle, left on the Prince George yesterday afternoon for his home in Ketchikan.

J. J. Hilliard, well known United States customs officer, was a passenger aboard the Princess Louise this morning going through from Seattle to Skagway.

Herbert Wheeler, president of the White Pass and Yukon Route, was a passenger aboard the Princess Louise this morning going through to spend the summer at Skagway. He has been wintering in Seattle.

Mrs. T. W. Graham and child, who have been visiting here with Mrs. Graham's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith, sailed this morning by the Princess Louise for their home at Tulsequah.

E. Hetherington, provincial welfare officer, after having spent the past ten days on the Queen Charlotte Islands on official duties, returned to the city on the Prince John this morning.

Lieut. and Mrs. J. S. Cunningham are leaving today for Victoria, Lieut. Cunningham having been transferred to Esquimalt after having been stationed in the naval service here for several months.

Thomas A. Kelley and A. P. Allison, well known Queen Charlotte Island logging operators, arrived on the Islands from Vancouver on this week's trip of the Prince John, the former to Tanoo Inlet and the latter to Cumshewa Inlet.

Mary and John Bond of Edmonton are the house guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Clark, Pacific Place. They arrived on Saturday night's train and are leaving tonight on the Prince George for Vancouver.

Alex Turnbull, inspector of schools, and Mrs. Turnbull returned to the city on the Prince John this morning from a two weeks' trip to the Queen Charlotte Islands. Mr. Turnbull having made the trip on official duties.

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CHURCH NOTICES

SEVENTEENTH OF MAY SERVICES

FRIDAY, MAY 17th, 8 p.m. AT FIRST UNITED CHURCH

In spite of conditions in Europe, all citizens of Norwegian origin in Canada and in U.S. will also this year observe the National Independence Day of Norway.

Appropriate Memorial Services will be held Friday evening, May 17th, at FIRST UNITED CHURCH. The event is sponsored by St. Paul's Lutheran Church; The Sons of Norway; The Varden Singers; The Nordkap Society and other groups.

Musical selections will include pipe organ numbers by Miss Swanna Olafson and Mr. Peter Lien. Also vocal selections by Mrs. J. H. McLeod and Mrs. J. H. Myrswang. The Varden-Singers will appear. There will also be community singing. Reading by Mrs. Arnold. Two brief addresses will be given.

ALL ARE MOST CORDIALLY INVITED

FAVORABLE TO ALLIES

Most Americans Would Keep Out of War—Roosevelt May Lead Them Into It, However

As to international sentiment in the United States, A. J. Schomberg, who returned to Prince Rupert yesterday, said that the Americans were overwhelmingly in favor of the Allies in the war although a general feeling of the people

appeared to be against United States getting into the war. Nevertheless, there are many who expect that President Franklin D. Roosevelt will be re-elected and will soon after the election take the country into war on the side of the Allies. Generally speaking, Mr. Prudhomme believes that people of Prince Rupert are just as well off as those anywhere else in the country.

First Baseball Practice To Be Held On Sunday

First baseball practice of the season has been called for Sunday. A married vs. single men's game is arranged for May 24.

DANCE

FRIDAY NIGHT Bobby Rei's Orchestra Oddfellows' Hall

Velvet Wins Silverware For Soccer

Velvet defeated Irish Fusiliers last night by a score of two to nil in the final for the Stuart Benefit Shield. Standard of play was not of the usual quality. All scoring came in the first half, the scorers being George Ferguson and Casey Vink Norman Campbell was referee.

Weather Forecast

General Synopsis—A moderate depression is centred over the Mackenzie Valley and the pressure is relatively high over Vancouver Island. The weather has been slightly warmer in the interior and scattered showers have occurred on the coast.

West Coast of Vancouver Island—Fresh to strong northwest winds, fair and moderately warm.

If you have something to swap try a Classified Ad.

Announcements

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

Catholic Tea, Mrs. J. L. Blain's, May 16.

United Tea, Mrs. R. G. Large, May 22.

Empire Carnival, Moose Hall, May 23.

Eastern Star Tea, Mrs. Darton's, May 29.

Evening Branch W.A. Tea, May 30, Mrs. J. B. Gibson's.

Girl Guide Association Tea, Mrs. J. R. Morison's, McBride Street, June 1.

Presbyterian Missionary Tea, Mrs. Wm. Lambie, June 5.

Hospital Auxiliary Tea, Nurses' Home June 6.

P.T.A. Tea and Children's Display, Oddfellows' Hall, Friday, June 7.

Lutheran Sewing Circle Tea and Sale, Mrs. Murvoid's, June 13.

Anglican Tea, Mrs. J. W. Nicholls, June 13.

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Whifflets From The Waterfront

C. N. R. steamer Prince John, Capt. James Watt, having made her calls in Massett Inlet yesterday afternoon after having left Skidegate at 1 o'clock in the morning for Massett, arrived here at 8:30. For the southbound sailing from here Friday, the Prince John will be replaced by the Prince Charles, Capt. Edward Mabbs having arrived yesterday morning on the Prince George from Vancouver to take command of the Prince Charles. The Prince John will enter the local dry dock for overhaul.

With a good-sized list of passengers and substantial freight cargo, C. N. R. steamer Prince George, Capt. H. E. Nedden, arrived in port at 11 o'clock yesterday morning from Vancouver, Powell River and Ocean Falls, sailing at 4:45 in the afternoon for Ketchikan and Stewart whence she will return here this evening southbound.

Five thousand Prince Rupert people read the Daily News. It pays to let them know what you have to sell.

RATS ON RETREAT

ADELAIDE, Australia, May 16: (CP)—Up-country floods drove an army of field rats "some as big as condensed milk cans" 100 miles in three months, according to settlers in Central Australia.

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Peoples Many Suffer Low Blood Count—And Don't Know It.

The baffling thing about low blood count is that you can weigh about as much as you ever did—even look healthy and strong, yet you can feel as if you had lead in your legs, dizzy, tired and peevish.

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RUN OF THE STARS	Aydelotte
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ON LIMITED LEAVE HOME



In London on limited leave from France, "Old Bill" lights up his pipe on the station platform preparatory to dropping around to surprise the family.

SPORT CHAT

Despite the war, plans proceed throughout Canada for a big racing season, headed by the 81st running of the King's Plate at Toronto. Indications point to normal purses and crowds and a larger number of participating thoroughbreds. Racing fever mounts as the cream of the Ontario-foaled three-year old crop turns into the drive leading to the King's Plate this Saturday. A late spring retarded training but, with the advent of clear warm weather, conditioning of the eligibles was accelerated.

About a score of the 38 horses nominated for the classic at Woodbine Park remain on the hopeful list as trainers place their charges on a rigid training diet. The field will take further trimming and by post time about 11 or 12 will answer the starter's bell to match speed and stamina in the mile-and-a-furlong event. The big race, oldest continually run race on the continent, is fashioned for three-year olds foaled in Ontario, which have never won a race other than those exclusively for two-year olds. Owner of the winner will receive 50 Guineas, donated by the King, a silver cup and the major portion of a \$7,500 added purse.

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| South A | Norwich 3, Southend 2. |
| South B | Fulham 6, Reading 2. |
| South C | Millwall 0, Arsenal 2.
Portsmouth 1, Westham 1. |
| South D | Brighton 2, Aldershot 2.
Crystal Palace 2, Queens Park 2. |
| Midland | Luton 3, Northampton 2.
Wolverhampton 5, West Bromwich Albion 4. |
| East Midland | Notts Forest 1, Grimsby 1. |
| West | Manchester 6, Crewe 2.
Portvale 3, New Brighton 0.
Wrexham 3, Manchester United 2. |
| Northwest | Tranmere 5, Stoke 1.
Blackpool 11, Oldham 2.
Southport 1, Bolton 3. |
| Southwest | Cardiff 4, Newport 1.
Plymouth 4, Bristol 1.
Swansea 6, Bristol City 2. |
| Scottish West | Airdrieonians 4, St. Mirren 2. |
| Scottish East | Dunfermline 3, St. Bernard's 1. |

Baseball Scores

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SPEAKS ON WAR TOPIC

Events so Far of Little Significance—Canada Should Be Doing Better, Declares Col. Nicholls

There was a large attendance at the regular monthly meeting of the Prince Rupert branch of the Canadian Legion in the clubrooms last evening and after the usual business session, the members heard an interesting talk by Col. J. W. Nicholls.

In addressing the veterans Col. Nicholls said he was among his old comrades and enjoyed talking to them on various aspects of the war situation as he saw it in different parts of Canada and the United States. The speaker asserted that such things as the withdrawal from Norway and withdrawing to new positions as was being done in Belgium were but incidents. Seen in their proper perspective, they were of little significance. Viewed from the point of view of men who had actually taken part in and even planned in a small way military tactics they were only a means of making a more successful and effective way of combatting the enemy. There was no room for anything but praise for the fine work of the navy, of the air force and the fighting men of their leaders. As far as Canada was concerned there was room for great dissatisfaction, declared Col. Nicholls. Veterans were not satisfied with the effort being made. There was lack of leadership, lack of drive, lack of appreciation of the situation. "We

Prince Rupert Wins Shooting

Carded 1491 Out Of Possible 1500, It Is Announced In Montreal

MONTREAL, May 16. (CP)—It is announced here that the Canadian National Recreation Association of Prince Rupert successfully defended the western district crown with a score of 1491 out of 1500 points in the annual Dominion senior small bore rifle league championship and will now compete in the final round for the Dominion title which they (Prince Rupert) hold.

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by JOHN CLINTON



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Well, one of our customers wrote us a letter the other day about what happened to her new auto. All shining and lovely it was, and she parked it outside a school while she went about her business.

And some youngster left a nice big wax crayon in the front seat. It was a very hot day, and the sun and the crayon got together with the result that there was one of the finest messes of goo you ever saw on the brand new front seat of the lady's brand new car.



Slightly less than hysterical, and on the verge of tears, she drove into a neighborhood Union Oil service station. "Oh look," she almost sobbed! And the man on duty at the time looked! Wow!

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don't know in Canada that there is a war on and it is up to some such organization as the Legion to see the wishes of the people should be made known to the government and the necessary impetus supplied for a practical, organized, concerted drive that will get results," said Col. Nicholls. This might be supplied at the forthcoming Canadian Legion Dominion convention in Montreal. In this connection a resolution was unanimously adopted urging the Dominion Command to see that the necessary steps were taken to control all enemy aliens in the country.

Appreciation of Col. Nicholls' address was voiced by President Jack Preece and enthusiastically endorsed. Following adjournment refreshments were served.

Business Session
 At the business session the matter of employment of veterans was again taken up.

Another item that aroused much discussion was the executive's report on the circumstances of the funeral of the late G. F. Joslin. A resolution was passed and a special meeting of the executive will be held this Friday to discuss further proceedings. The president will represent the Legion at the next meeting of the Boys' Band Association and will support the move to obtain suitable instruments for the boys. The annual picnic will be held to Digby Island on June 16 and committees will make arrangements to make it as successful as possible.



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SUICIDE IN CAVE

CONWAY, Wales, May 16: (CP)—After an argument with his wife regarding the care of sheep, a 58-year-old farmer committed suicide by shooting himself with a shotgun in a mountain cave.

Man in the Moon

The Germans seem to be winning today. We shall be winning tomorrow or some other tomorrow.

Now the Irish are gone, what will the girls do? They are probably hoping that some other Irish will take their places.

"What did the doctor say was the matter with you?" "He said I was suffering from acute indiscretion."

He: "Come on, honey, let's play tennis." She: "Can't. I played tennis yesterday and there's a blister on my hands."

He: "Then let's take a hike." She: "Can't. Took a hike yesterday and my heel is blistered."

He: "Well, for gosh sake, let's go horseback riding." She: "Can't. Er, I was horseback riding yesterday."

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Tom McDonough of Jasper Familiar Figure With Travelling Public

WINNIPEG, May 16.—Tom McDonough, reappointed general agent for Canadian National Railways at Jasper, is well known to the travelling public, especially those who pass through Jasper. His "Ten Gallon" hat is a familiar method of identification to the tourists staying over at Jasper.

S. M. Greene, new district passenger agent at Edmonton, entered the transportation service in 1908 and is well known in Western Canada, having previously been located at Saskatoon and Regina before coming to Winnipeg in 1934.

M. J. Dupuis, new district passenger agent at Winnipeg, was with the Great Northern for many years prior to joining the Canadian Northern in 1914 as rate clerk. After a few years in Saskatoon he returned to Winnipeg and has since held the position of chief clerk. He is a well known figure in railway transportation circles.

Final Tributes To John Joyce

Many gathered Monday afternoon at the chapel of the B. C. Undertakers and later at Fairview Cemetery for the funeral of the late John Joyce. Rev. W. J. Friesen, pastor of the Pentecostal Assembly, conducted the service at the chapel and Captain Ivan Halsey of the Salvation Army at the graveside. Arthur and Howard Toftager and Evangelist Thomas Johnstone took part in the musical part of the service with Mrs. Halsey leading in prayer. Pallbearers were W. B. Skinner, A. K. Geary, John Wilkie, W. Wilson, Captain Ivan Halsey and Rev. Thomas Johnstone.

Mr. Joyce, who came from Essex, England, to Lethbridge in 1908, had lived in Prince Rupert for many years. He is survived by his widow and daughter in Prince Rupert, a son in Moose Jaw and two sons in Port Alberni as well as a brother and sister in England and a sister in Lethbridge.

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Thirtieth Anniversary Of Bank Of Montreal In Rupert Is Being Celebrated Today

Was First Bank To Be Established in City—Parent Was Founded in 1817 in City of Montreal

Thirty years ago today the Prince Rupert branch of the Bank of Montreal was founded. The first banking office to be established in this community, it was at that time a branch of the Bank of British North America, long since amalgamated with the Bank of Montreal.

When the bank first opened for business here, although there was a large population, very little of it was of a permanent character, being chiefly composed of the type of transients who in the early days of the century drifted from one mining camp to another as fresh strikes were made. There was also little in the way of permanent buildings, most of the construction up to that date having been of the rather flimsy frame character. However, a number of more important structures were soon put under way. The bank, for example, commenced to build its present cement structure as soon as it located here and was obliged to occupy a temporary wooden structure for only a matter of a few months. During the last 30 years many fine buildings have been constructed, giving to the town a permanent and more pleasing appearance in striking contrast to the situation of those early days of rough roads, rock, muskeg and tree stumps which protruded everywhere.

With the change in the physical appearance of the town, tremendous advances have been made in the commercial development of the community also. Today Prince Rupert is the centre of the lumbering industry of Northern British Columbia. It is the distributing centre or a mining area which includes the rich Premier mine. It is the most important deep-sea fishing port on the Pacific Coast, handling a larger tonnage of fish than all the others from Frisco to Skagway combined. Allied industries based on these activities have grown up here, such as important fish canneries.

Influence of Railway—The railway has been a great influence in the growth of the prosperity of Prince Rupert as the town was chosen to be the western terminus of the former Grand Trunk Pacific Railway and has retained that distinction since the absorption of that railroad into the Canadian National system. With the construction of a million and a quarter bushel capacity grain elevator by the Dominion government, the port has had an opportunity of having in the export of the wheat crop. The port facilities have also been immeasurably improved by the construction of a \$3,000,000 floating dry dock, a shipbuilding plant and two large cold storage plants. During the last war cargo ships were built here and contracts have already been let for the construction of some minesweepers locally with the prospect that the Dominion government may call on the facilities at Prince Rupert still further in this regard to aid in the effective prosecution of the present conflict. Within the last few years the government has also provided facilities here for the Royal Canadian Navy and is at the moment surveying and constructing an air base which it is expected will entail an expenditure of \$3,000,000 spread over a period of four years.

In all the progress and growth that has taken place in the past 30 years the bank has played a very important part and stands ready to continue this co-operation in the future. During this period the bank has been in charge of a succession of managers, all of whom have taken an active part in community affairs. The first manager was J. M. Clancy, who stayed for eight years and is now pensioned and enjoying a well-earned rest. He was succeeded by H. St. G. Lee who has been in charge of the bank's office at Stratford for several years. From 1925 to 1929 D. C. Paterson, who is now manager at Kelowna branch, was in charge of the local office while his successor, A. H. Carson, is now manager at the main branch in London, Ontario. The present manager, F. A. MacCallum, who

national trade was on a very uncertain basis.

Modest Beginning

Such were the conditions when the Bank of Montreal began business on November 3, 1817, in modest rented premises, with a paid-up capital of \$350,000. In a very short time this institution became the focal point of the business of the colony. It provided a medium of exchange such as had hitherto been lacking, nursed along the early enterprises of the country and straightened out the difficulties of inter-urban, interprovincial and international trading.

Everywhere, as conditions have become ripe, the bank has planted its branches for facilitating the agricultural development of the country, its manufacturing industries and its general commerce.

Today the bank has over five hundred and fifty branches distributed throughout Canada and Newfoundland while its paid-up capital and reserves represent a total in excess of \$75,000,000, and its assets amount to over \$750,000,000. The value of the Bank to the country, however, is not to be measured so much by the amount of its capital or by the size of its dividends as by the security it has given to those who have trusted it, the facilities it has furnished for the exchange and the increase of commodities and the assistance it has contributed to the development of the country.

The branches of the Bank of Montreal are situated alike in the large business centres and in residential districts, in agricultural communities and in mining camps. Everywhere in Canada it is a factor in the life of the community. Today, notwithstanding its influential connections, it is essentially a bank of the people, a bank where small accounts are welcome, a bank to which all classes can come with confidence in the security of deposits entrusted to its care and with the assurance that every facility consistent with sound banking will be extended to those who seek its services.

The only organized portions of what is now the Dominion of Canada were the provinces of Upper and Lower Canada and the Maritime Provinces. Their whole population was less than 400,000 and that of Montreal, the chief trading centre, less than 20,000. The development of trade and agriculture was hampered by lack of facilities for exchange. The country was too poor to afford the luxury of a metallic circulating medium and not only American, British and French but also Portuguese and Spanish coins were legal tender and the rations of exchange into colonial money of account were subject to frequent variations. As a consequence, domestic trade was carried on principally by barter and inter-

C.N.R. TRAINS For the East—Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays 6 p.m. From the East—Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays 11 p.m.

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SMITHERS

Mr. Clark, chief dispatcher for the Canadian National at Smithers, has been transferred to Edson and is leaving immediately to take up his duties at his new post. Mr. and Mrs. Clark arrived in Smithers last fall when he was transferred to this place from Kamloops. His successor at Smithers will be Mr. Trip-let who will come here from Kam-loops.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Gibson of Prince Rupert have arrived in Smithers to take up their residence. Mr. Gibson having succeeded I. Martin as Forest Ranger at this place. Mr. Martin, who was transferred to Pouce Coupe, left here last week for his new office and his family will follow him there shortly.

Stan Heavysides, who is now a member of the Canadian forces, arrived in Smithers last week for a

short visit to his old friends, being on holiday from Kingston, Ontario where he is at present in training. Mr. Heavysides was formerly an employee of the Canadian National Railways at Smithers and was one of the first to join the Searchlight Battery in Prince Rupert last fall. Later he was sent to Kingston where he is still in training but hoping to be sent overseas in the near future. He left Smithers on Tuesday morning to return to Kingston. He was entertained at a Smoker in the Legion Hall on Monday evening by a large number of his friends who gathered to welcome him back to Smithers and to wish him good luck for the future.

DEAR OLD LONDON

BLACKPOOL, Eng., May 16: (CP)—Crowded by summer visitors in this seashore resort on the British west coast, 3,000 civil servants brought here for safety during the winter are clamoring to return to the London offices.

SOMETHING DIFFERENT

One of the most distinctive and colorful as well as entirely delightful discourses ever presented in Prince Rupert was that of Miss Gaultier de la Verendrye, noted French Canadian lecturer on early Canadian and aboriginal folklore and arts and sciences, who appeared before some 120 persons at a dinner last night of the Women's Canadian Club. Miss Gaultier was appropriately costumed in Acadian Seventeenth Century peasant garb, entirely handmade in the fashion of the country. Her discourse was divided into three distinct sections—first an address on early French Canadian and Acadian traditions and customs; second, a rendition of traditional folk songs of the early French settlers of Quebec and Acadia in sweet voice with self-accompaniment on the cetha, an instrument of the table harp type, and, third, the presentation and explanation of a diversified and highly interesting collection of French colonial and aboriginal handicraft and art. Miss E. M. Earl, president of the Women's Canadian Club, was in the chair.

Miss Gaultier spoke of research work along extensive lines which she had carried out, French Canada and Old France she had found were inseparably linked up in their legends, songs and music. She differentiated between the French-Canadians of Quebec and the Acadians of the Maritimes who had come from different parts of France. The songs and legends of French Canada had been found, Miss Gaultier said, to be purer French than those of Old France itself. Much the same might be said of the peasant handicrafts. Miss Gaultier also spoke of the excellence of the ancient arts and handicrafts of the aboriginal Indians and Eskimos of Canada and particularly of British Columbia which she said were unexcelled.

Miss Gaultier made an appeal for unity of the French and English provinces which she felt should be one large family emulating that fine friendship which had become so cemented in time of crisis between old France and old England. The aboriginal people of Canada were equally as anxious to join in the battle. Miss Gaultier, in remarks along this line, was greeted with applause.

The speaker then turned to the music and songs of the French-

CALLED TO DEFEND THEIR COUNTRY



Behind a defence line north of Oslo, the Norwegian government rallied the country to resistance against a German army of occupation and mobilized reserves in the interior. Norwegian troops are shown at a military telephone exchange during recent winter manoeuvres.

COMMISSION REPORT PROPOSES CHANGES

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tary and economic policies in Canada. They would be reflected in the general welfare of the Canadian taxpayer.

The present "inefficient and wasteful" tax structure, the commission reported, "sabotages" efforts to increase the national income and even depresses that income. While the proposed plan would not involve reduction of the absolute tax level, the commission said, it would permit substantial increase in the national income, which would make the present tax load relatively lighter.

The commission suggested that the added revenue required by the Dominion to carry this fiscal plan might be obtained by broadening the income tax base by substantially increasing the load in the lower and middle brackets, and increasing succession duties. It recommended the progressive elimination of the sales tax.

Municipalities benefit directly by being relieved of the relatively heavy relief burden, amounting to about \$20,000,000 a year, 80 per cent of which comes from real estate taxation. The commission also recommended that the provinces exercise greater control over municipal borrowing and budgeting.

Provincial Responsibility

Since the Dominion assumes responsibility for unemployment relief, kindred phases of the same problems such as unemployment insurance, a national employment service and right to establish basic minimum wages and maximum hours would also be placed under Dominion jurisdiction.

All other welfare services, the commission asserted, should remain the responsibility of the provinces, as they always have been.

It pointed with some intensity to the possible effects of uncontrolled rivalry between railways and highways in Canada, considering the situation a "menace to the financial solvency" of Canada.

It voiced no opinion on the question of railway amalgamation, holding that problem outside its scope, but urged an early general review of the freight rate structure. It was non-committal on proposals to merge the maritime provinces into one and the prairie provinces into another unit, but suggested substantial economies could be effected by establishing a court of appeal for the Maritime and one for the prairies.

The commission reported finding little grounds for popular complaints of great waste through duplication of government services, pointing out several other possible causes of waste there.

Regular Conferences

Recognizing the difficulties in every federal structure of maintaining maximum co-operation between governments, the commission urged Dominion-provincial conferences at regular intervals with a permanent secretariat set up. In the past, it observed, "the

DIES WHILE HOME BURNS

William Demque Succumbs to Heart Attacks at Walecott

SMITHERS, May 16.—Tragedy struck at the home of William Demque, a farmer in the Walecott district, on Sunday. An overheated incubator set fire to the house and, while endeavouring to save some of the household effects, Mr. Demque apparently collapsed and died immediately, probably from heart failure.

Mrs. Demque was working on the opposite side of the house and, when coming around to where her husband had been at work, she found him dead upon the ground.

The house was totally destroyed but some of the household effects were saved.

Mr. Demque was 49 years of age and was a veteran of the last war. The family had lived in the district for some years. There are two small children.

AUSTRALIAN FORCES

CANBERRA, May 16: (CP)—Official figures of Australia's fighting forces in February counted 120,000 men—army, 100,000; navy, 10,000 and air force 10,000.

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CANBERRA, May 16: (CP)—Contracts have been made for the United Kingdom for 24,500 tons of Australian dried vine fruits crop, including 8,000 tons of currants and 15,000 tons of sultanas.

FOGGY NORTH SEA

LONDON, May 16: (CP)—Armchair generals are reminded that the North Sea is the foggiest area on earth in the spring.

U. S. PROS AND CONS

SYDNEY, N. S. W., May 16: (CP)—America is strongly anti-Soviet, anti-Nazi and pro-Allies, but not at present strongly pro-British, said Mrs. Linda Littlejohn, prominent Australian feminist, returning home from the United States.

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