

The Daily News

NORTHERN AND CENTRAL BRITISH COLUMBIA'S NEWSPAPER

PRINCE RUPERT, B.C. TUESDAY, MAY 2, 1944

Local Tides

Table with tide information for Wednesday, May 2, 1944, including High and Low times and heights.

Local Temperature

Table with temperature information: Maximum 53, Minimum 43.

PRICE FIVE CENTS

Japs Suffer Naval Losses

British Submarines Bag Destroyer While Yanks Sink Cruiser

LONDON, May 2 (CP)—British submarines have sunk a Japanese destroyer and four other vessels in recent attacks on enemy supply lines in Asiatic waters, the Admiralty announced today.

Army Well Over Top

This military area is now up to 115 per cent on quota in the Sixth Victory Loan campaign and is leading the Pacific Command.

GENOA IS HIT AGAIN

Great Northern Italian Port is Taking Heavy Blasting From Allied Bombers.

NAPLES, May 2 (CP)—Allied bombers hit German installations Monday night at Genoa and other formations raided Le Spezia.

It was the fourth straight night of bombing for the big port of Genoa, Allied planes having blasted the place Sunday night after a fleet of more than five hundred heavy bombers rained explosives on Milan railway yards and other targets in northern Italy, headquarters announced yesterday.

Ground action has been limited to patrol activity and artillery duels although there was a report today that the Germans had made a gain on the Anzio beachhead.

Early Resident, John Dunn, Dies

Prince Rupert lost another of its early residents with the death yesterday afternoon of John Martin Dunn, who passed away at the age of 55 at his home at 419 Sixth Avenue East.

JAPS ARE DEFEATED

KANDY, Ceylon, May 2 (CP)—Allied airborne troops have defeated a strong Japanese attempt to break a rail and road block in northern Burma after a three-day battle in which heavy casualties were inflicted upon an attacking enemy force of two thousand.

POLICE COURT FINES

Seventy-four cases were tried in city police court here in April and fines totalled \$1900.

WAR NEWS

NO LET-UP IN BOMBING LONDON — Royal Canadian Air Force bombers Monday night hammered Nazi motor, aircraft, chemical and explosive works and railway targets in France, Belgium and Germany.

PLANS FOR INVASION LONDON — British Commonwealth Prime Ministers began today to discuss European war plans and indications were that views on inter-imperial matters would not be exchanged until after discussion of the war.

TUNGSTEN EMBARGO

Spain Agrees to Limit Shipments to Germany—Will Get Oil from U.S.

LONDON, May 2 (CP)—American agreement with Spain limiting shipments of wolfram (tungsten ore) to Germany, an economic solar plexus blow at the Reich, was interpreted in London today as a new demonstration of mounting conviction among neutrals of the approach of an Allied victory.

Baseball Scores

Table of baseball scores for Monday and Saturday, including American League, International League, and American Association games.

Postal Delivery Idea is Dropped

The civic committee of the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce feels that there is no point in making further representations to the Postal Department at this time in the matter of instituting a house to house mail delivery in Prince Rupert.

TRUK IS ATTACKED

LONDON, May 2 (CP)—A Tokyo communique said today that an American aircraft carrier task force had attacked Truk, Japanese naval base, in the Carolines, Sunday and Monday, causing "some damage" to ground installations.

Bulletins

AMERICAN INQUESTS The deaths of members of the United States armed forces in British Columbia are not to be subject to an official inquest by a provincial coroner except at the specific direction of the Attorney General, according to a departmental ruling read before the city council Monday night.

ATHLONE ON COAST VICTORIA — The Governor General and Princess Alice arrived in Victoria today and will leave for Vancouver Thursday afternoon.

VICTIMS OF CRASH VICTORIA—Five bodies of six persons who were aboard the R.C.A.F. bomber which crashed in Cowichan district have been identified. One is still missing.

Clothing given away at Salvation Army tomorrow from 1 to 5 o'clock.

Breach Is Unhealed

Labor-Progressives and C.C.F. Still at Odds — Former to Nominate Sunday.

Details of the Skeena federal riding nominating convention of the Labor-Progressive party were announced and discussed at the regular meeting of the Prince Rupert Labor-Progressive Club last night with Bruce Mickleburgh in the chair.

The convention will be held Sunday evening in the Deep Sea Fishermen's Hall. The entire proceedings will be open to the public.

"We feel it our duty," stated Paul Taranger, club educational director, "to place before the voters positive and practical proposals which can assure full employment, higher living standards and social security, adequate provision for returned men and women and the development of the north, rather than the defeatist, unrealistic, partisan proposals of the C.C.F. leadership. This riding can best be represented by a Labor-Progressive member at Ottawa because the people that live here are determined to go forward in the peace."

"We had hoped," he continued, "that some measure of unity could be won in the federal and provincial fields so that the 'left' vote would not be split between the C.C.F. and the L.P.P. but, in spite of all our appeals to the C.C.F., that party has turned away from even any form of discussion with our party on unity proposals. Further, the C.C.F. leadership is adopting an anti-United Nations policy, an anti-Soviet policy, even though Canada's interests demand that she do everything to strengthen United Nations collaboration."

"Dorothy Steeves seems to be trying to outdo the Tory Herbert Anscomb in voicing suspicion of the Atlantic Charter and, when Bert Gargrave at the C.C.F. provincial convention voiced misgivings at allowing the trade unions to affiliate with the C.C.F. on the basis of a vote for each dues-paying member since this would mean that labor might out-vote the C.C.F. members, he was showing the same mistrust of organized labor, the same feeling that he knew better, which prompted Humphrey Mitchell once to suggest that unions should have government-appointed trustees for their own good."

"The people of this riding are not going to vote either Tory or Liberal this time—they are going to vote for a people's candidate with a constructive program."

The social committee announced that a social to welcome Mr. McEwan would be held Saturday night at the home of one of the members and the membership committee brought in a series of recommendations to streamline the work of the club which were unanimously adopted.

This was the first meeting of the club has held in its new downtown headquarters which will need considerable work before becoming the community centre envisaged. A house committee consisting of E. Goodman, V. Sokoloski and A. Gomez was elected to be in charge of the clubrooms.



THE BETTER OF ITALY WEATHER—Pte. T. Bell, soldier, gets through the Fifth Army front Goo, Italy, furnished with an umbrella and a nimble-stepping

Hour imminent

Feels That Invasion Not Long Be Deferred.

PRINCE RUPERT, May 2 (CP)—The city today resumed speaking over the Allied invasion of Western Europe with commentary claiming that the British coast indicate it is five hours to the zero hour.

al Fighting Russian War

PRINCE RUPERT, May 2 (CP)—A Soviet communique said today that hundreds of Axis troops were killed Monday in local fighting in Rumania and present.

IT HIGHER THAN EVER!

5th Loan Record \$900,150 QUOTA \$750,000

ASSET OR OTHERWISE

Residents of Westview and City Council do not see Eye to Eye On Old Men's Home.

Many residents of Westview do not see eye to eye with the city council on the question of the desirability of a home for elderly men being established in that part of the city.

At last night's meeting of the council there was a letter signed by Westview people in considerable number expressing the opinion that such an institution would be detrimental to a desirable residential section.

Ald. George Hills, Ald. Norah Arnold and Ald. T. H. Sorensen did not agree with this view but were inclined to believe a well designed and kept \$10,000 home of this kind would in fact be an asset to the area.

After considerable discussion, it was decided to defer further consideration until the views of the residents could be more fully heard.

Soviet-Czechs In Agreement

LONDON, May 2 (CP)—The Soviet government has agreed with the Czechoslovak government on administration of Czechoslovak areas liberated by the Red Army, the Moscow radio announces.

JAPS PLAN NEW DRIVE

KANDY, May 2 (CP)—The Japanese are believed to be preparing for a new attack on Imphal although British troops continue to push the enemy back around Kohima to the north.

APRIL CUSTOMS RECEIPTS Customs receipts at the port of Prince Rupert during this April amounted to \$47,938.43.

Two applications to hold tag days were approved by the city council in meeting last night. Approval was given to the Women's Hospital Auxiliary to hold a tag day on June 24 and to the Parent-Teachers' Association on the second Saturday in October.



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