Today's Weather

Prince Rupert—Part cloudy, five mile westerly wind; barometer, 30.41; temperature, 56; sea smooth.

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Tomorrow's Tides

Sunday, July 10, 1932

High	5:32 a.m.	17.4 ft.
	18:15 p.m.	18.9 ft.
Low	11:50 a.m.	5.1 ft.

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NO PROVINCIAL ELECTION THIS YEAR

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Attorney General Pooley Dispels Rumors That An Appeal Is To Be Made

Probability Is That Legislature Will Meet Once More Before Completing Its Term of Office

VICTORIA, July 9:—Rumors of an early election in British Columbia were dispelled yesterday when Attorney General Pooley, acting Premier, denied suggestions that the government might seek a verdict from the people in September.

"The government of B. C. has not the slightest intention of summoning an election this year," Mr. Pooley declared. He said it would be unwise at this stage to disrupt the government procedure and departmental administration and to rush ministers and members into a campaign at a time when careful determined application to the affairs of the province was urgently needed.

In view of the announcement of Mr. Pooley it seems certain that the government will assemble the legislature once more before completing its term.

KILLED BY EXPLOSION

Fatal Consequences When Little Saanich Boy Played With Detonating Caps

VICTORIA, July 9:—Alexander Derman, aged 10, was fatally injured and his three companions were injured as a result of the explosion of detonating caps. All the boys are residents of Saanich.

The lads are believed to have found the caps in a barn in which they were playing. They took the caps and threw them with force on the pavement road, the explosion following.

Young Derman was terribly injured in the stomach and died within a few minutes.

The injured are William Chass, aged 10; Thomas Muir, 8, and Fred Smith, 8.

VISITING THE ISLANDS

R. G. Emmerson of the Dominion Government wireless station at Digby Island accompanied by his son Fred left last night on the ss Prince John for Queen Charlotte Islands. Mr. Emerson expects to spend a month at "The Dunes" Tlell, and Fred will remain there throughout the summer holidays.

U. S. HOLDS TO FORMER POSITION ON WAR DEBTS

WASHINGTON, July 9:—The state department said today that there was no change in the attitude of the United States on the question of war debts from the views outlined by President Hoover last June when he said he did not approve the cancellation of the debt but that further temporary adjustments would be necessary.

ANOTHER OLD-TIMER PASSES ON

Nick Gurvich Was Present at Founding of City of Prince Rupert in 1909

The death occurred yesterday at his home on Fraser Street of one of Prince Rupert's early and respected citizens in the person of Nicholas Gurvich, mining operator, general contractor and one of the large property owners of the city. He was 65 years of age in April last and had been in poor health ever since meeting with an accident five years ago when he was struck in the abdomen with a plank. For the past three years he has been in bed and the end came peacefully yesterday about five o'clock.

Mr. Gurvich is survived by a widow and five sons and two daughters. The sons are John, head of the 32 Taxi business; Dido, Spiro, Nick and Mike. The daughters are Amelia and Nellie. All are well known to the people of Prince Rupert.

Mr. Gurvich came from Jugo-Slavia forty years ago to the United States and first located in the mining fields of Nevada. Soon he moved to Butte, Montana, where he lived for 11 years. However, the north was calling and he moved on to Alaska until the romance of the founding of a new city in Canada appealed to him and he moved down to the present site of Prince Rupert in 1909, being one of the first men on the ground and since then taking an active part in the development of the city.

A few years ago Mr. Gurvich interested himself in the Alberta coal fields, taking a controlling interest in the McLeod River Hard Coal Co. in which other Prince Rupert men also became interested. This concern he operated for several years.

A large property owner, Mr. Gurvich had great faith in the future of Prince Rupert. The outstanding property owned by him was the Exchange Block on Third Avenue which he purchased and renovated.

The funeral will take place Tuesday, arrangements being in the hands of Haynor Bros.

C. N. R. Tennis

Thursday night the incomplete tennis game in the C. N. R. series was completed, Jas. Horton and Mrs. Currie beating Percy McIntosh and Mrs. Horton, 6-3.

Last evening W. Tobey beat D. M. Davis in singles the score being 6-3, 3-6, 7-5.

The finals will be played tomorrow.

Will Rule Over Pioneer Days Pageant

Member of the Black "fete" tribe? Hardly that, but Thelma Richardson was given the palm and will rule over Santa Monica's "pioneer days" pagent. Must say, we're right behind the folks choice.

FISH STRIKE NEARS END

Indications Are That Men Will Be All Fishing Sunday Night

Word received from the Skeena River this morning was to the effect that the present situation in regard to the strike is unchanged but there was every indication that a settlement would be arrived at and the men be all out Sunday night.

The canners have been planning to close their canneries if the men did not go to work soon as they claimed it would not be worth their while to remain open for so short a season. A big run of fish is expected and if that passes without more men fishing the best part of the season would be gone.

VANCOUVER WHEAT

VANCOUVER, July 9: — Wheat was quoted at 51⅜c on the local exchange today.

ENGLAND LEADING IN CUP GAMES

Two to One Over Germany in Series Today at Berlin Tennis Tournament

BERLIN, July 9:—England took a two to one lead over Germany today in the Davis Cup series when Fred Perry and George P. Hughes defeated Daniel Premm and Walter Dessart 6-3, 6-4, 6-4 in tennis doubles.

TAKING ROUND TRIP

Don Francisco, vice-president of Lord & Thomas & Logan, United States and Canadian advertising agents, accompanied by Mrs. Francisco and son were in the city today making the round trip to Skagway. They will leave the steamer here on their return and will proceed to Jasper and then back to Vancouver to drive leisurely south in their own car.

PASSING OF MRS. RENNER

Pioneer Woman of Skidegate Inlet Dies of Burns

SKIDEGATE INLET, July 9—Skidegate people were greatly shocked at the sudden death recently of Mrs. Joseph Renner who succumbed to severe burns and shock.

The deceased was 67 years old and was a pioneer and one of the few early settlers who has stayed with the Islands. She and her husband were well known to everyone on the Islands for their hospitality. Their home, furthest west on the Maude Island, was not only known to local people for its hospitality but to many Prince Rupert fishermen who always made the farm the last port of call on the way to the west coast.

People came from all parts of the inlet to pay their last respects at the funeral of the deceased, who is survived by her husband, Joseph Renner; son, Julius Hubbley of Seattle; and sister, Mrs. Pauline Locker, Burns, Oregon. The pallbearers were E. Wiggins (Tlell), N. Schafer, S. E. Harbour, G. Carmichael (Q.C. City), A. Gordon (Skidegate).

Floral tributes were sent by the following at Queen Charlotte City: Mr. and Mrs. Fairbairn, Mr. and Mrs. Atkins, Mr. and Mrs. Bowden, Mr. and Mrs. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Duval, Mr. and Mrs. MacKenzie, Mr. and Mrs. Sigmund, Mr. and

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ROUND THE WORLD FLYERS WILL NOT CONTINUE FLIGHT

MOSCOW, July 9:—James Mattern and Bennett Griffin, whose plane had to be put down in a peat bog near Borisov are both badly injured and will be unable to proceed. The plane is also badly damaged.

Prairie Man Hunt Ended With Suicide of Man Who is Said to Have Killed Mounted Police

KELVINGTON, Sask., July 9:—Exhausted, wounded and hunted by a relentless posse of forty armed policemen and three hundred militant farmers, William Miller, alleged robber and murderer, took his own life yesterday. Two companions, Mike and William Kuruluk, had already been taken by the police and both in confessions said that Miller was the man who fired the shots which killed Corporal Leonard Ralls of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police at Foam Lake Tuesday morning.

The finding of Miller's body in a patch of scrub timber brought to an end the greatest man hunt ever spread over Central Saskatchewan.

Crop Report From Prairies Shows Everything Favorable to Big Yield Of Grain This Year at All Points

WINNIPEG, July 9:—Crop conditions continue good as considerable rain has fallen since the last report. This moisture, coupled with cool days, has been ideal for the filling of all heads which are past the flowering stage. Grains continue to show growth in advance of previous years, and from some territories, come reports of lodging as the straw is rank and the crop will be difficult to handle. Intermittent warm weather, however, will materially remedy the lodging situation. Summer-fallowing is rapidly nearing completion, and weeds have this year been kept under control, according to the weekly crop report of the agricultural department Canadian National Railways.

In Manitoba, daily rains have occurred which, in addition to supplying ample moisture, have decreased the activity of grasshoppers. However during sunshiny weather, the grasshoppers in some districts are in veritable clouds. Weather has been cool and early grain is filling rapidly. All crops show an even stand and good color, and the general outlook continues encouraging.

Along the Lampman, Avonlea, Gravelbourg, Central Butte, River Hurst, Bengough subdivisions, in Southern Saskatchewan, heavy rains have fallen and for the whole period weather has been cool.

These conditions have greatly benefited crops which were suffering from drought and winds, and will result in the later sown crops being much heavier than the earlier sown grains. No appreciable damage is reported from insects, although, in some localities, poison bait stations are operating.

Central and Northern Saskatchewan also received heavy rains and all land is well soaked. Growth has been rapid and wheat is either all headed out or in the shot blade. The more northerly territories report excessive moisture with grains lodged and some under water, but warm weather should correct this situation.

From all points in Alberta come reports of rapid growth as precipitation has varied from heavy rains to scattered showers, but more rain would be acceptable in the Vegreville-Camrose territories. The Peace River alone reports conditions improved as generous rains have fallen. A considerable reduction of cattle and hog receipts at western stock yards over those of week ago has been reflected in a much more active demand in all sections, the markets are, however, extremely discriminating and mediocre kinds of cattle and hogs are draggy.

COMMITTEE IS FORMED

Bishop Rix is Honorary Chairman With Mayor Orme Actually in Charge of Operations

Mayor Orme this morning announced the personnel of the committee that will have charge of the organization of the welfare work in the city in connection with relief. The members are:

Bishop Rix, Hon. Chairman.
Mayor Orme, Chairman.
George Mitchell, Secretary.
Willam Brown.
Leo W. Waugh.
George H. Munro.

It is probable that this committee may be enlarged from time to time.

There was a rumor around town this morning that several more ships were due almost immediately to load grain. The elevator officials say they know nothing of this and the officials who were here for the loading of the steamer Fresno City are returning south.

F. L. Buckley Busy on Pulp Project Sees Improvement Following the Settlement at Lausanne Yesterday

F. L. Buckley was out this morning inspecting the proposed site for the sulphite mill planned to be erected by the Prince Rupert Pulp & Paper Company at Seal Cove and arrangements for the survey are being made.

Speaking of the situation this morning, Mr. Buckley said that quite steady progress was being made. He was making no promises but was doing his best under the conditions obtaining and he expected to be successful. He said he thought the worst point in the financial depression had been reached and he saw many indications of better conditions in store.

Mentioning the news that came through yesterday in regard to the Lausanne conference, he said this was the biggest thing in the world today and the Ottawa conference was pretty sure to be also a success and be a further step toward better times. He was very optimistic in regard to the future.

Mr. Buckley has a number of contacts to make before he goes south, probably on Monday, after which he will proceed east on the same business.

CASHIER IS GIVEN RIDE

C. A. Young of Winnipeg Kidnapped in Own Car and Robbed of $18,000

WINNIPEG, July 9—Three men kidnapped C. A. Young, cashier for Coca Cola Company here, in his own car and forced him to drive them around the city and then left him, the trio escaping with $18,000 that Young was to have deposited in the main branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce.