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Tomorrow's Tides

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GOVERNMENT IS ASKED TO STEP IN EDMONTON HUNGER MARCHERS IN CLASH WITH OFFICERS

Southern Municipality Requests Province to Take Over Its Affairs

Burnaby Council Feels This is Only "Honorable Course" For it to Take Following Victoria's Refusal to Guarantee its Bank Loan

EDMONTON, B.C., Dec. 21: (Canadian Press)—"This council has no other honorable course but to ask the provincial government to immediately assume control of Burnaby's affairs and, accordingly, makes such a request," the Burnaby municipal council stated in a resolution passed last night. The resolution stated that this was necessary in view of the government's attitude in declaring there is no legal authority for guaranteeing a bank credit of \$250,000 to the municipality of Burnaby to meet its current obligations.

POLICEMAN IS KILLED

Lieut. Paul Lee of Los Angeles Fatally Shot While on Trail of Convict

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 21:—Shot on Monday afternoon by an unidentified gunman while in the execution of his duties, Police Lieutenant Paul Lee died in hospital here yesterday morning.

Lee was engaged in a search for a paroled bandit, Abe Schiller, who was wanted on a felony charge, when he was shot in a rooming house. The gunman escaped in the street traffic with an automobile.

MART HAS WEAKNESS

Practically All Issues Showed Sharp Declines in New York Trading Yesterday

NEW YORK, Dec. 21:—The stock market showed general weakness during yesterday's trading with sharp declines in almost all issues. The industrial average at closing was 58.78, off 1.30; rails 26.39, off .95, and utilities 27.37, off .84. A million shares changed hands during the day.

CREEPS UP BUT SLOWLY

The list of contributions to the Salvation Army fund is creeping up but slowly. Money is needed badly to enable the lasses to do what they would wish in regard to providing Christmas goodies for those who cannot otherwise celebrate the great festive season. Contributions may be sent to the Daily News or direct to the Salvation Army.

Captain Steele reports that within a short time after the paper was out yesterday she received a beautiful doll for the little girl mentioned yesterday. The gift will be greatly appreciated. Here is today's record:

Previously acknowledged \$140.50
Three Little Girls 2.00
A Friend 2.00
A Friend 1.00
Quantity of groceries from Edward Lipsett Ltd.
White gifts from United Church Sunday School.

SPEECH IS INSPIRING

Gyro Club Hears Impressive Address at Luncheon by Rev. Dr. Westgate of Winnipeg

National Ideal

Righteousness Prescribed as Duty Which Will Lead Church to Greatness as Nation

Righteousness in the performance of one's duty towards God and towards man and the observance of the Golden Rule of doing unto others as one would have others do unto one's self were prescribed as a national ideal for Canada by Rev. Dr. T. B. Westgate of Winnipeg who delivered an inspiring address before the Prince Rupert Gyro Club at luncheon yesterday, his subject being "The Formation of a National Ideal for Canada." "Righteousness will alone exalt a nation—it is a polestar which never varies and which must ultimately lead to greatness," declared Dr. Westgate in exhorting his listeners to accept this as a national ideal for Canada.

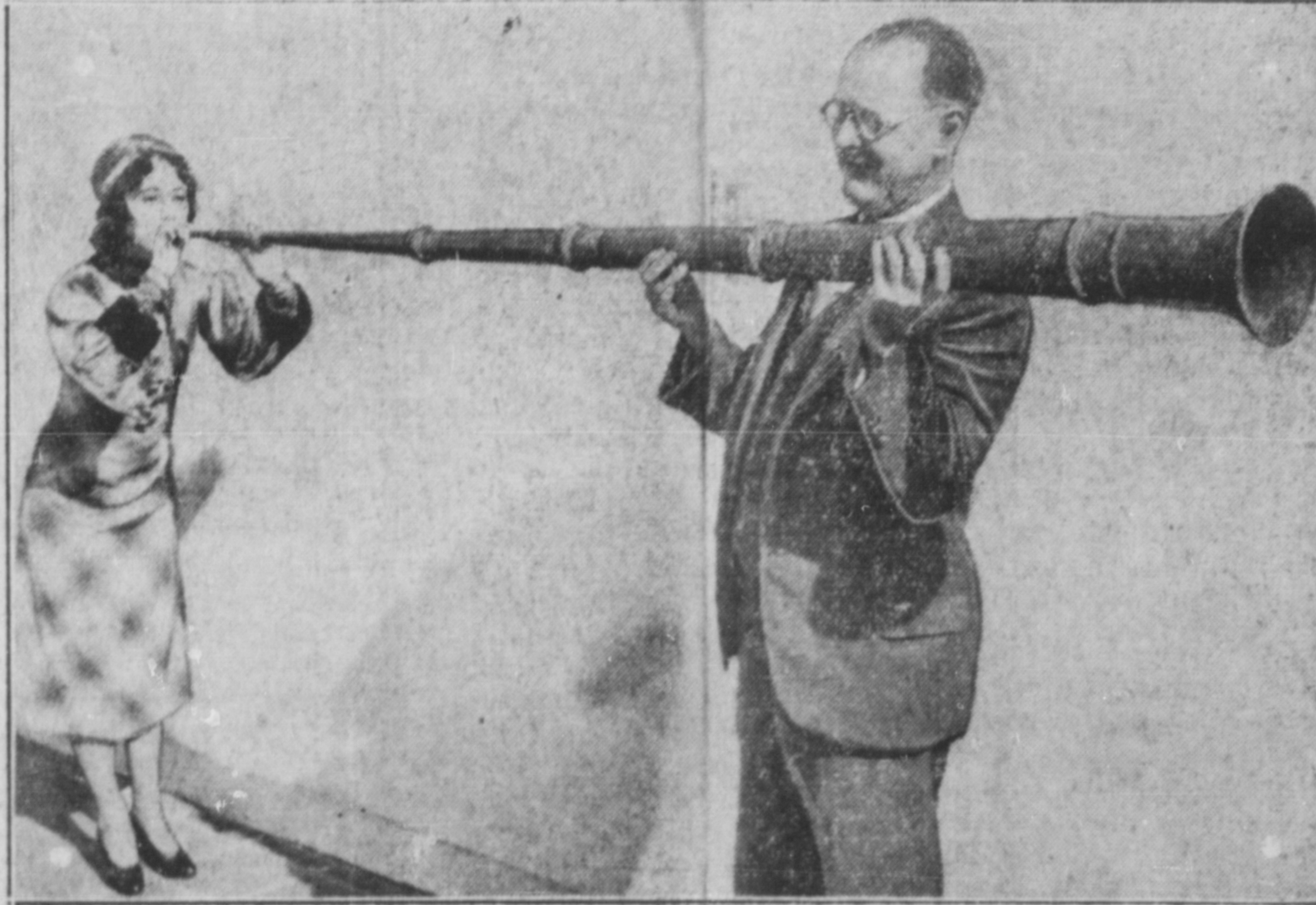
In the promotion of a national ideal, Dr. Westgate urged the cooperation of such organizations as the church and the service clubs. In opening his address he asked: what should be adopted as a national ideal? Some of the nations of old such as Assyria and Egypt had had war as their national ideal. But war had eventually been the ruin of those nations which had all but passed away.

France had accepted glory as a national ideal and that nation had paid dearly ere it had come to find that glory was but a vain ideal.

Warns Against Mammon
Canada and the British Empire had not accepted either the false ideals of war or glory as national ideals but could Canada and Great Britain plead not guilty to worshipping at the shrine of another false ideal—the gaining of money? If this were the ideal, then they were on the same level as the ancient nations which had worshipped Mammon.

Liberty was another national ideal about which one heard much. But what was liberty? If the ideal was to be liberty, it would have to be a liberty founded on sound fundamental principles? The liberty of the individual must be subordinate to that of the class, that of the class must be subordinate to that of the community and that of the community must be subordinate to that of the nation. Liberty, therefore, seemed an impracticable ideal. (Continued on Page 2)

The Horn of Plenty



If this isn't the horn of plenty at least it's plenty of horn. Matter of fact, Marcia Michel of California says this Buddhist prayer horn would be just the thing for calling prosperity around the corner.

DEBATE ON BEER BILL

House of Representatives at Washington Wrangled For Six Hours Yesterday

WASHINGTON, D.C., Dec. 21:—An unruly House wrangled for six hours yesterday in debate on the Collier Bill calling for the legalization of beer in the United States. Forty-one members of the House spoke during the day which was given over to oratorical efforts by both supporters and opponents of the bill.

WAGE CUT DEADLOCK

Representatives of Railway Companies and Employees Are Unable to Agree

CHICAGO, Dec. 21:—Representatives of United States railway managements and employees were still in deadlock yesterday over the proposal of the companies to extend for another six months the ten percent wage reduction which expires on January 1. Another conference was to be held this morning between the representatives of the conflicting interests.

SOUTH HAS BIG QUAKE

Whole West From Wyoming to California Was Shaken by Temblor Last Night

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 21: (Canadian Press)—A severe earthquake shook the west from Rawlins, Wyoming, to Long Beach, Cal., shortly after 10 o'clock last night but damage was confined to broken windows and crockery, clocks being stopped in many places.

The entire state of Nevada was rocked and it is thought that the disturbance centred there.

ALASKA-JUNEAU MAKES OVER MILLION DOLLARS

JUNEAU, Dec. 21:—Profits of the Alaska-Juneau Gold Mining Co. for the first eleven months of 1932 are placed at \$1,029,700, an official statement announces. This is \$403,000 less than in the corresponding period of last year.

Big Budget For Road Building In California

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 21:—If the state legislature and Governor James Rolph Jr. approve the budget which has been adopted by the California State Highway Commission \$61,700,000 will be spent during the coming year on highway construction in Southern California.

Sourdough Barber Dies in Vancouver

Robert Johnson, Who Went to the Yukon in 1898, Passed Away Recently

VANCOUVER, Dec. 21:—Robert Johnson, who went to the Yukon in the Gold Rush of 1898 and who followed the barbering trade for years at Dawson passed away here. He had been a resident of Vancouver for some years.

British Pound and Canadian Dollar on New York Exchange

NEW YORK, Dec. 21:—The British pound sterling closed at \$3.32 1/4 on the local foreign exchange market yesterday and the Canadian dollar at 87 1/2c, both being up slightly.

Constable Alva Moore R.C.M.P., Hazelton, who has been on a trip south on escort duty, arrived in the city on the Prince Rupert this morning from Vancouver and proceeded to the interior by train. He is a brother of Verge Moore of this city.

VESSEL IS TAKEN OVER

Steamship Canadian Seigneur to be Used by Vancouver Interests in Lumber Trade

Preparatory to the vessel being commissioned in the intercoastal lumber carrying trade by Vancouver interests which are taking her over from Canadian National Steamships, certain work is now being carried out at the local dry dock on the freighter Canadian Seigneur which has been tied up at the yard for the past year or so.

Richard Knox, former superintendent engineer for Canadian National Steamships, is here representing the interests which are taking over the vessel.

Screen Comedian In Auto Accident; Jay Walker Hurt

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 21:—Mickey Daniels, the youthful freckled moving picture comedian, ran down a jay-walker with his car on a Los Angeles street yesterday. Injuries sustained by the victim may prove fatal, it is feared.

Five Hundred Homes Burned

Twenty-Five Hundred Japanese Homeless at Result of Fire in Villages Near Tokyo

TOKYO, Dec. 21: (Canadian Press)—Fire destroyed five hundred homes and rendered 2500 persons homeless today in three small towns near here.

Northland Transportation Co.'s motorship Northland, Capt. Leonard Williams, arrived in port at 8 o'clock last evening from Ketchikan and, after discharging five carloads of frozen fish and one carload of canned salmon for transshipment east over the Canadian National Railways, sailed at 11 p.m. for Seattle.

Thirty-Five Workless Injured Yesterday In Street Parade Attempt

Premier Brownlee Warns Against Flouting of Law in Reply to "Impossible Demands" of Disgruntled Visitors to Capital

EDMONTON, Dec. 21: (Canadian Press)—Coupling forgiveness for misguided Farmer members with a warning to radicals that the law permits of no flouting, Premier J. E. Brownlee yesterday replied to the "impossible demands" made by disgruntled marchers who gathered here yesterday against a police edict. At least thirty-five

RELEASING OF MONIES

City Council Asking For Amending Legislation in Connection With Hydro-Electric Fund

Having already obtained the consent of the Power Corporation of Canada to the proposal, the city council is now making application to the Legislature for an act to amend the "City of Prince Rupert Bylaw Validation Act 1929" whereby the council would be at liberty to apply any of the monies received from the Power Corporation of Canada in connection with the sale of the local hydro-electric utility three years ago for the purpose of paying interest and principle of debentures falling due in any year representing the outstanding liabilities of the Corporation of the City of Prince Rupert under that particular consolidated bylaw in respect of the assets acquired by the company.

The permission being sought applies particularly to a trust fund of \$176,000 which was set aside when the hydro-electric utility was sold on the agreement that \$23,500 of this fund would be released annually to cover the hydro-electric bonded indebtedness, principal and interest, annually as it became due. In this fund some \$140,000 is now left.

In view of the present financial crisis, the city is asking for control of the remainder of the trust fund so that the city might have the opportunity of buying up, if the 1933 council so sees fit, the outstanding hydro-electric debentures at a great discount.

The change, it is felt, might have the effect of facilitating city financing during the next three years or so, be instrumental in reinforcing the city credit and, possibly, permit of the mill rate being lowered materially in 1936 providing no additional capital expenditures are incurred in the meantime as, between now and the end of 1936, other city debentures involving payments in the intervening years totalling \$56,830.41 will have become paid up, making that much less to raise by taxation.

It is necessary to make application for the amending legislation at this time if it is to come before the Legislature at its forthcoming session.

Miss Margaret Beattie, who is attending school in Vancouver, arrived in the city on the Prince Rupert this morning from the south to spend the Christmas and New Year holidays here with her mother, Mrs. A. M. Beattie.

EDMONTON HUNGER MARCHERS RAIDED
EDMONTON, Dec. 21:—In search of firearms, thirty Royal Canadian Mounted Police officers descended yesterday on headquarters of hunger marchers from all parts of the province who arrived here a few days ago. No weapons were found but one man was arrested.

Plaintiff Awarded Judgment Today in County Court Case

Judgment for the plaintiff with costs was given by Judge F. McB. Young in County Court this morning in the case of Fred E. Reisch vs. Henry Hill and G. P. Heineky. The action came under the Mechanics' Lien Act and the principals were from Stewart, L. W. Patmore acted as counsel for the plaintiff with W. E. Fisher for the defendants.

Today's Weather

Prince Rupert—Raining, fresh southeast wind; barometer, 29.20; temperature, 36; sea rough.
Dead Tree Point—Cloudy, light southeast wind; barometer, 29.20; temperature, 38; sea rough.
Triple Island—Overcast, light easterly wind; sea moderate.
Langara Island—Raining, moderate easterly wind; heavy swell.
Interior Weather
Terrace—Cloudy, calm; temperature, 26 above.
Alyansh—Part cloudy, calm, 15 above.
Anox—Cloudy, calm, 25 above.
Stewart—Part cloudy, calm, 16 above.
Hazelton—Cloudy, calm, 20 above.
Smithers—Cloudy, calm, 20 above.
Burns Lake—Cloudy, windy, 21 above.

BIRTH
There was born at the Prince Rupert General Hospital last evening, December 20, to Mr. and Mrs. F. Charnley, 429 Fifth Ave. West, a daughter.