## Tomorrow's Tides

Friday, October 10, 1930 2.46 a.m. 19.6 ft 14.43 p.m. 21.6 ft 8.47 a.m. 6.2 ft.

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# BRITISH COLUMBIA BOND CORPORATION IN DIFFICULTIES

# Government Statement Of Civic Affairs Not Accurate It Is Stated

Union of B.C. Municipalities Objects to Change in Liquor Profits Distribution and Wants Old Way Back; Convention Is Proceeding

KELOWNA, Cct. 9:-Presenting his report as secretary of the taxation committee of the Union of British Columbia Municipilaties the annual convention of which ever, found that the allegation was opened here yesterday, R. F. Blandy, reviewing financial not substantiated by evidence and, relations between the municipalities and the government, therefore, acquitted Gurvich. E. F. declared: "the whole picture of municipal finances as pre- Jones prosecuted and A. M. Manson as counsel for Gurvich.

1020 to \$1,000,460."

One hundred and twenty dele-

gates from 41 municipalities are in

ORGANIZED

Charles Balagno Elected Presi-

Col. S. P. McMordie D.S.O.

President, C. P. Balagno.

From Entering

dent at Meeting

Under Way With Seventy Resolutions on Agenda

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Liquor profits distribution. Automobile accident insurance.

holiday act.

Unemployment. Ald. E. H. Bridgeman of North lies would receive liquor profits on Vancouver, the president, is pre- he same basis as in 1929. siding.

# CUT BY RAZOR, IS IN HOSPITAL.

Warren Scott Sustained Painful Injuries at Hands of Unknown Assailant Tuesday Night

Warren Scott, a well known local Six Team League This Winterlogger, sustained severe but not serious razor cuts about the face and body Tuesday night in an altercation which took place in a row of The Prince Rupert Billiard Assoshacks on Third Avenue not far ciation had the largest and most from the Junction. Scott is now re- enthusiastic annual meeting in its ceiving treatment in the hospital history last night in the Empress but his assailant is still at large. Social Club. Officers were elected

The man whom the police are operation. seeking in connection with the Officers were elected as follows slashing is Charlie Olsen.

## Rushing Work On New Camp

Seventy Men to Be Housed at Cloyah Lake During This Winter Is Plan

and Empress Social Club. The public works construction The executive was empowered to department is rushing work on the draw up the schedule and start the Rupert Retail Merchants' Associa- The Daily Herald describes Mr. construction of a winter camp at season as soon as possible. Cloyah Lake to house 70 men on the highway construction camp. It | C. is understood that this many will Steamers Sunk

continue throughout the winter. Slashing of the highway is now within about a mile of the lake.

The present camp on the highway will remain and the surfacing Is Being Done to Prevent Warships would not permit its putting up gang will use it.

### KILLED HIMSELF

SEATTLE, Oct. 9:-Rev. Chris- the entrance to the harbor of Rio topher Johnson, aged 72, shot and de Janiero to prevent warships en- This afternoon's train, due from a notable day in connection with tivities of the rebels. fit of despondency.

# GURVICH ACQUITTED:

Magistrate Finds He Was Not Guilty & Errol Boyd, Canadian aviator, & of Hit and Run Offence on Comox Avenue

After hearing the evidence in city 4 11:20 in the monoplane Co- 4 police court this morning, Magis- + lumbia. trate Thomas McClymont dismissed | a charge against Dido Gurvich of driving to the common danger. It was alleged that Gurvich had struck a man on Comox Avenue early one morning in August and kept on going. The magistrate, how-

hardly be accepted as accurate." Joe Chonord, the man who was Mr. Blandy said that the recent ses- struck by a car on Comox Avenue sion of the legislature had shown at 4 o'clock on the morning of Authe difficulty of securing financial gust 10, was the first witness. He opened in the unicipalities and testified that he was walking up the impossibility of divorcing school Comox Avenue toward town and the impossibility of divorcing school Comox Avenue toward town and taxation from the larger problem was near the right hand edge of Union of B. C. Municipalities Gets of financial relations between the the road. First hearing the car approvince and the municipalities. He proach when it was almost on top! quoted the minister of finance as of him, he had time to turn around stating that "the municipalities are and see the number "32" on the KELOWNA, Oct. 9:-With more in better shape now than for many fast approaching vehicle. Then he than seventy resolutions on the years. In the last eight years the was struck and lost consciousness agenda, the twenty-seventh annual aggregate municipal debt increased immediately. His leg had been convention of the Union of British by only \$12,000,000 while the value broken and he had also been Columbia Municipalities opened of taxation increased by \$30,000.000. struck on the shoulder and head. here yesterday. Some of the more Receipts from public utilities have He spent a little over four weeks important resolutions which are ex- risen from \$2,000,000 in 1919 to \$3,- in hospital. Somebody came to the pected to provoke lively discussion, 969,000 and arrears in sinking funds hospital the next day with fruit have decreased from \$5,591,000 in for him but witness would not say that this had been accused.

The convention passed without Ralph Smith, who was driving Amendments to the weekly half discussion a resolution urging the his taxi car on Comox Avenue.

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TOOK OFF TODAY +

HARBOR GRACE, Nfld., Oct. 4 ♣ 9:-After a long wait for suit- ♣ \* able weather conditions, Capt. \* and Lieut. Harry Cannor, Uni- 4 + ted States navigator, took off + \* for England this morning at \*

Hopes to Berak Bert Hinkler's Record For England to Australia Hop

HENTON, Eng., Oct. 9:-Squadron Leader Charles Kingsford-Smith took off from here today in a light plane on a lone trip to Australia in which he hores to beat Bert Hinkler's record.

The plane is a two-scater named "Southern Cross Junior" and in one cockvit a large extra gasoline supply is stored for the purpose of enabling long hops of about 2,090 miles cach.

ROME, Oct. 9- Squadron Leader Kingsford-Smith arrived here this evening from ----

GUEST OF PRESIDENT

government to adopt some plan of heard a bump and, looking out of Randolph Hearst, the newspaper be a reduction in the number of distribution by which municipali- his rear window, he saw a car fast publisher, was yesterday the guest vessels and the personnel will be

# BROTHER ACCUSED

Montreal Jury Finds Church Worker Responsible For Murder of Six-Year Old Girl

MONTREAL, Oct. 9:-Albert Mos garet, known in this region as Bro-• ther Dozite of the congregation of Sacred Heart, a worker in the Roussin academy, was held criminally for the death of six-year old Simon Caron who disappeared from her demy on September 18.

Evidence was submitted by Dr. were sold out on the New York mar-Rosario Fontaine, Montreal auto- ket on Tuesday and that all clients pist, to the effect that the child had in Montreal, Toronto and Winnipeg her murder.

Announcement Made That Seven Million a Year Will Be Saved Under Plan

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9:--Admiral Trapp announced last night that the Atlatnic squadron of the United States navy was to be reduced to conform with the treaty requirements and that the total saving on courts. it would be approximately seven WASHINGTON, Oct. 9:-William million dollars a year. There will of President Hoover at luncheon. reduced by 4,500 officers and men.

# Attorney-General Has Named Representative To Make Investigation

Company Has Sold Out Holdings and Collateral of Clients Owing to Margin Calls But Hopes to Make Good

VICTORIA, Oct. 9:-C. D. Prior, barrister of Victoria, responsible by a coroner's jury here has been appointed under the Security Frauds Prevention Act as representative of the attorney-general to conduct home in Long Pointe on July 10 and an investigation into the affairs of the British Columbia whose body was found in a passage Bond Corporation Ltd., it was announced by the attorneyoff the basement of Roussin Aca- general's department yesterday. It is reported that all clients' holdings and collateral

been criminally attacked prior to markets were sold out at the openings of the markets yesterday. Officers of the company said it was impossible to give any estimate of the total sum involved.

The company issued a statement to the effect that difficulty had been encountered in meeting sudden margin calls at New York and clients dollar for dollar if allowed ing program was rendered: to carry through liquidation them- | Piano solo. Grand March from forced through the bankruptcy

Plans All Laid For Biggest Event on Record in Aid of Gymnasium Fund

give admission for both nights and known in the north.

The big opening will take place Robert Bartlett. at 8 o'clock sharp and this will be followed by dancing and the side-shows will then be in operation. The opening will be conducted jointly by S. D. Johnston, president of the Rotary Club, W. H. Tobey, chairman of the Gym Committee and Acting Mayor Collart.

Among the sideshows will be the

Exhibition of Scottish folk dane-Three miniature golf courses.

Clown acts. King Tut's Tomb.

Silhouette Photos. Fortune Telling by the Great | Prominent shares lost from four ent and fiture horoscope reading tually at the bottom. crystal gazing, palmistry and

hrenology. Roulette wheels.

Country store. "Flop." the latest game invented. Red Cross circus.

Ladies tea room. Hot dog stand. Carnival hats and novelties.

deceased attended the obsequies. prizes, which may be checked at eon took place at the Exhibition the check room if desired. Check coats and hats.

Many prominent men and women Armour, who is in charge of the VANCOUVER, October 9-Wheat are assisting Rotarians in this big hot dog stand, served the members ing all the time.

Season Opened With Gathering at Home of Mrs. James Farguhar Yesterday Afternoon

The opening meeting of the seaasking co-operation of its clients in on of the Ladies' Music Club was facing an unexpected situation held yesterday afternoon at the which was not regarded as insur- home of Mrs. James Farquhar. mountable. It was stated that the Agnew Place. Mrs. Farquhar gave company had every hope of being a very interesting paper on the life able to recover enough to pay the of Wagner after which the follow-

and without the firm being Tannhauser, Mrs. Robert Bartlett Vocal solo min the Time of Roses," Mrs. William Cruickshank. Piano solo, "Evening Star." from Tannhauser, Mrs. M. H. Blott. Piano solo, "Poloaise in C.

> Sharp Minor," Chopin, Mrs. E. J. Much enthusiasm was shown with regard to the activities of the

> coming season. It was announced that Miss Helen Beveridge, a pupil of Miss

M. A. Way, was the winner of the Club's cup this season. The presentation will be made later The feature of the evening at At the close of the meeting, the

Exhibition Hall tonight at the big liembers stood silent for a few Society Circus and Dance will be moments out of respect to the the mammoth drawing in which memory of the late Canon T. J. there will be 207 prizes. Tickets will Marsh. father of the secretary, be available at the door which will Mrs. Farguhar, who was so well

participation in the drawing. The hostess was assisted by Mrs.

Largest Turnover Since June on New York Exchange

NEW YORK, Oct. 9:- The stock ing with a real old time orchestra. market took a terrific battering today from liquidations that swelled to a turnover of more than five million shares. It was the largest turnover since June.

White Wizard, showing past, pres- to ten dollars net and closed vir-

## Victoria Man Passes Today

VICTORIA, Oct. 9:-Walter Stanhope Fraser, well known business Drawing will take place tonight man of this city, died today. He was

> The weekly Rotary Club lunch-Hall where the club's society circus will open this evening. Paul chowder luncheon.

# of Prince Ruper delegate from that Premier Bennett's Proposals Are Denounced By Many Papers of England In Editorial Comment

the Guardian asserts, adding that

Mr. Bennett's scheme is the most

unattractive embodiment of new

The Liberal Chronicle professed

Canada wants adding that "Pre-

mier Bennett's offer in its present

COMMUNIST ACTIVITIES

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 9:-Com-

Manchester Guardian Suggests Secessionist Tendencies; Daily Herald Dubs Them "Bankruptcy of Statesmanship" and Declares Them Patently False

LONDON, Oct. 9:-Premier Bennett's admitted "plain There is uncertainty, even on the and it was decided to start the speaking" yesterday moves the Manchester Guardian, adpart of scott, as to who attacked winter's activities just as soon as vocate of free trade to the reflection that "it almost sounds possible with a six-team league in as though Mr. Bennett were thinking of joining in the demand for the right to secede if we do not immediately ac-Honorary president, Olof Hanson cept his scheme. As far as the Dominions are concerned is a case or conceuling nountly,

### Honorary vice-president, Lieut. Prosperity Week Essay Contest style of Empire bargaining yet of-Vice-president, M. M. McLachlan. Secretary-treasurer, John Bulger

School Board Approves of Ieda But an inability to understand what The six teams entered for compe-Leaves Matter to Principals tition in the league are: Elks, Grotto, Canadian Legion, Moose, Eagles

The school board last night an- form seems to have no relation to swered a request from the Prince the facts of the situation." tion that school pupils enter an es- Bennett's suggestion as "the very say competition in connection with bankruptcy of statesmanship." De-Canadian Prosperity Week and that nouncing the proposals as demonteachers give suitable lectures to strably and patently false and usethe idea, considered that finances any economic blizzards."

prizes itself. It is understood that the Retail BUENOS AIRES, Oct. 9:-Two Merchants' Association will put up steamers were sunk yesterday at suitable prizes.

morning to be on time.

## BLUENOSE IS BEATEN Nova Scotia Boat Lost First of

Sailing Races Today to American

GLOUCESTER ... Mass ... Oct. 9:-The Gertrude L. Thebaud of Gloucester today defeated the Bluenose of Lunenberg, Nova Scotia, in the first of a series of fishing schooner races for the Sir Thomas Lipton Cup. The Thebaud won by about fifteen minutes over the course of nearly thirty-eight miles.

The race was sailed in a moderate breeze that favored the smaller and lighter American

### CHINAMAN BURIED

The funeral of Joe Fong, Hazelthe pupils by referring the matter less, the paper declared: "Tariffs ton Chinaman, whose death took In Rio Liarbor to the principals of the schools. The are no remedy at all for our econ- place in the Prince Rupert General board, while giving its approval \ omic ills or protection at all against Hospital Monday evening, took as far as possible and if not com- 2804 59 and had been here since place yesterday afternoon from the pleted the remainder will be drawn 1893. chapel of the B. C. Undertakers to tomorrow night. Ticket holders Fairview Cemetery. Local friends of should be on hand to claim their

### VANCOUVER WHEAT

munists throughout the country are preparing to make November 24 killed himself yesterday during a tering and interfering with the ac- the East at 3.30, was reported this their movement toward upsetting was quoted on the local Exchange event. There will be something do- of the club to a delightful clam the present system of government. Itoday at 69 1-8c.