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# DRIVE FOR RELIEF FUNDS STARTED

## JONES IS BLAMED FOR CUTTING UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF

### Premier Bennett Makes Wireless Appeal From Ocean; Campaign Open

Canadian Red Cross Society Will Collect Throughout the Dominion For Emergency Cause—Provincial Prime Ministers Back Up Movement

TORONTO, Dec. 10.—A drive for a national emergency relief fund was launched last night by Premier R. B. Bennett in a wireless appeal sent out from the steamer Duchess of Richmond aboard which he is returning from a trip to Europe. The drive actually got under way today with the Canadian Red Cross Society acting as a collecting agency throughout the country.

### STANDARD TEXTBOOKS

Resolution From North Vancouver Is Endorsed By Local School Board

The school board last night, on motion of Trustees J. J. Gillis and L. W. Waugh, endorsed a resolution offered by the North Vancouver Ratepayers' Association requesting the Dominion government to call a conference of all Departments of Education of the various provinces with a view to standardization of school text books for the whole Dominion.

The resolution has already been endorsed by the district council of North Vancouver, the Vancouver Federation of Ratepayers' Associations, the Vancouver City Ratepayers' Association, the North Vancouver city council and North Vancouver school board.

### Doncaster Rovers Eliminate Barrow

Third Replay in English Cup Football Results in Decision Being Reached

LONDON, Dec. 10.—Doncaster Rovers eliminated Barrow from the first round of English Cup ties on Wednesday by a score of two to nothing after two previous replays had ended in a tie each time.

### ENGLAND BEATS SPAIN

LONDON, Dec. 10.—England defeated Spain in international soccer yesterday by a score of seven to one.

### CAN'T ENJOY XMAS IF SOME WITHOUT MEANS OF JOINING

A good many people who gave money last year to the fund administered by the Salvation Army for providing Christmas hampers and dinners for those in need, are unable to give this year. They have not the money although they would like to help. And yet the need is greater this year than last. Those who can do so are asked to give to the full extent of their powers. None of us can enjoy Christmas if we feel that a number of our fellows are out in the cold, unable to secure the little things which differentiate Christmas from the rest of the year.

Premiers of all the provinces have issued appeals in support of the drive which has as its aim the raising of funds to relieve distress occasioned by existing economic conditions.

Premier S. F. Tolmie of British Columbia said: "Let us rally to their support with every dollar we can spare. Let us even stretch a point and offer dollars we can badly spare."

### Judge's Widow Died Yesterday

Mrs. Mabel Hope Eberts, Relict of Hon. David Eberts, Passes at Armstrong

VICTORIA, Dec. 10.—Mrs. Mabel Hope Eberts, widow of Hon. David Eberts, late of the British Columbia Court of Appeal, died yesterday in Armstrong where she was visiting a daughter.

Mrs. Eberts' maiden name was Mabel Hope Charles. She was married to David MacEwen Eberts in 1884. They had one son and three daughters. The family home is in Victoria.

### INTERNATIONAL PARLEY ON WORLD ECONOMICS

LONDON, Dec. 10.—Premier J. Ramsay MacDonald told the House of Commons yesterday that his government feels an international conference to deal with the world economic situation should be held immediately after financial experts now meeting at Basel have made their report.

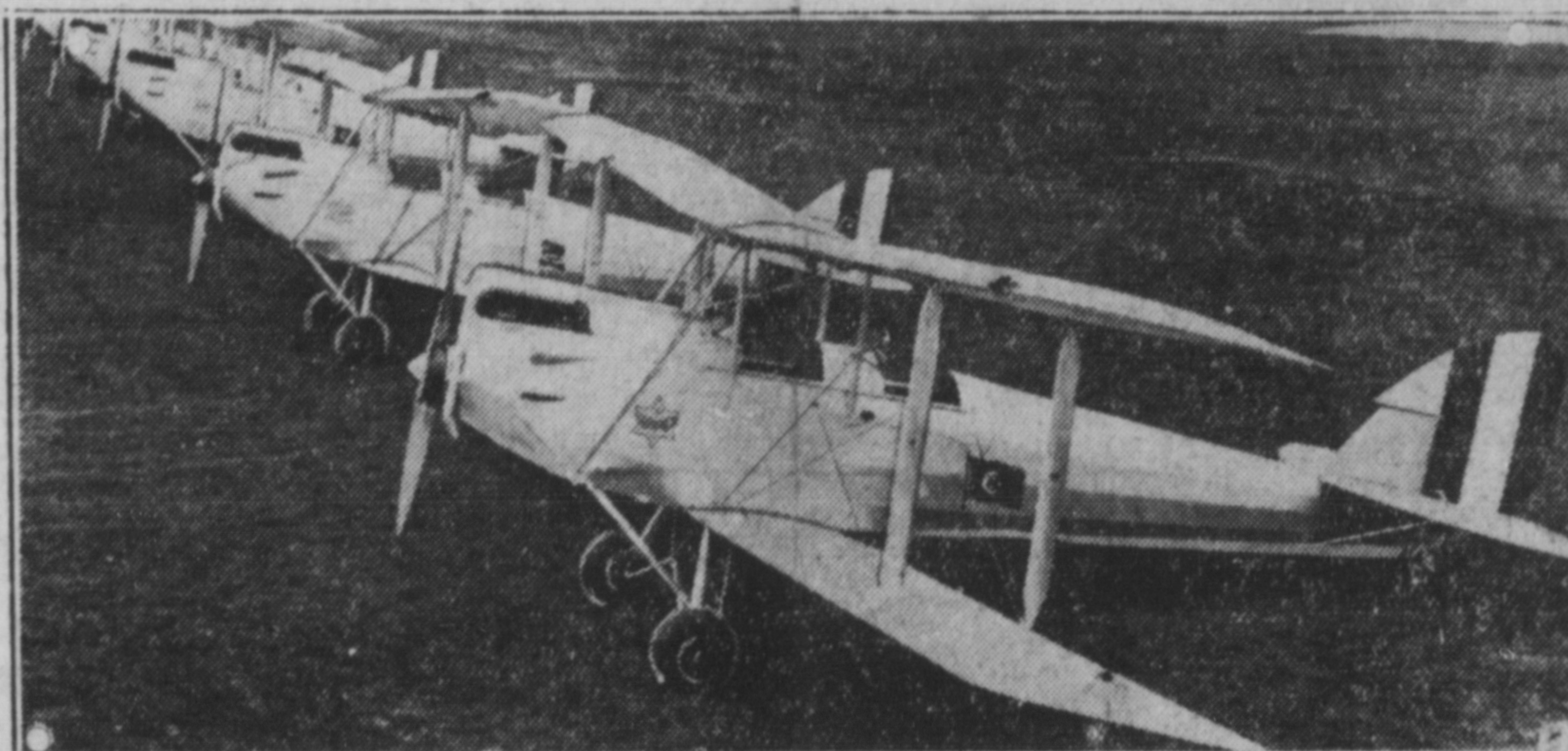
### Mrs. Berryman's Body Is Found

West Coast Indian Picks Up Remains of Former Local Woman Who Drowned at Clayoquot

The body of Mrs. Mary Berryman of Clayoquot, missing since last September when she was drowned, was found last week on the shoreline of Mosquito Harbor, Clayoquot Sound by an Indian trapper. A police boat was dispatched from Port Alberni to pick up the remains. The late Mrs. Berryman was the sister of Mrs. E. G. Johnston of Inverness and was herself a former resident of Prince Rupert and Skeena River cannery points.

It is estimated the boy on the modern farm must be familiar with 154 jobs.

### Egyptian Air Force Has Been Formed



The first five aeroplanes especially built for the newly formed Egyptian air force have now been completed and inspected by the Egyptian minister and the director of Egyptian aviation. Egyptian pilots were trained in England.

### CONDITION OF PUPILS IN SCHOOL

Report of Dr. R. G. Large Proves Alarming to Board of Trustees

### URGES FULL TIME NURSE

Gillis Thinks Authorities Should Make Treatment Available For All

The school board, at its meeting last night, after hearing a report from Dr. R. Geddes Large, medical inspector of schools, following a recent examination of the children of all schools, decided to take steps, if possible, to provide necessary treatment for children whose parents are unable, through financial reasons, to have the care given. The suggestion was made that the three per cent being deducted from the teachers' salaries for relief purposes might be applied to this work. Meantime, a list of under-nourished children in the schools will be prepared.

Trustee J. J. Gillis thought the situation was an unfortunate and disgraceful one. The government should make some provision whereby necessary medical treatment was made available for all children. Relief wages were such as to hardly provide a living for a married man with a family, much less obtain necessary medical treatment for the children.

In a synoptical report on the medical inspection of school children, Dr. Large showed that of 1150 children who had been examined 289 were suffering from malnutrition, 145 had defective vision, 112 defective hearing, 50 defective nasal breathing, 50 adenoids, 463 enlarged tonsils, 691 defective teeth, 572 enlarged glands and 58 goitre.

Doctor's Recommendations The following written statement accompanied Dr. Large's formal report:

"I would respectfully urge that the report be given careful study, and to that end I wish to draw your attention particularly to certain details. Referring first of all to the public schools, it must be cause for grave concern that from 65 to 80% of the pupils exhibit decayed teeth which have not received dental attention. This is a serious oversight on the part of the parents, and doubtless accounts for some of the

### Princess Learns to Cook



Princess Ingrid, only daughter of Crown Prince Gustaf Adolf, taking a course in cooking at a Stockholm Institute, is here seen preparing a fowl for broiling.

### SCHEDULE CHANGED

Prince Rupert Time is Altered For Christmas Sailing—Prince John to Wait For Catala

Under changed Christmas sailing schedule, ss. Prince Rupert will sail at 10 p.m. next Wednesday from here, arriving at Anyox on Thursday morning, December 17 and leaving shortly after for Stewart, arriving Thursday afternoon. The ship will leave Stewart at 11 p.m. Thursday, arriving at Prince Rupert early Friday morning. The departure from Prince Rupert will be 6 p.m. Friday, calling at Ocean Falls and Powell River and arriving at Vancouver at 9 a.m. Sunday morning, instead of Saturday afternoon.

It is also announced that a change will be made in the sailing of ss. Prince John for Queen Charlotte Islands. Instead of leaving Prince Rupert Saturday, December 19 at 10 p.m., the sailing has been delayed until Sunday, December 20 at 10 p.m. in order to connect with the mail from Vancouver by Union Steamship Catala.

### CRITICISM IS VOICED

Senator Hiram Johnson Not in Favor of Hoover War Debt Moratorium

### PRESIDENT'S PROPOSAL

Temporary Adjustment in European War Debts Cited

WASHINGTON, D.C., Dec. 10.—Senator Hiram Johnson of California voiced criticism yesterday of the Hoover war debt moratorium plan. He announced that he intended to put forward the proposal that a commission be appointed to investigate the whole problem of international debts. Declaring that debtor nations cannot pay, President Hoover asked Congress today to provide for temporary adjustments in war debts of Europe to the United States. In a message submitting the June moratorium for ratification, the chief executive proposed a revival of the commission which funded these debts.

### VANCOUVER ELECTIONS

Ald. P. C. Gibbons Defeated By A. C. Cowan—L. D. McDonald and A. G. Harvey New Aldermen

VANCOUVER, Dec. 10.—The feature of the municipal election for aldermanic seats here yesterday was the defeat in Ward Three of Ald. P. C. Gibbons, who has served on the council for years, by A. C. Cowan.

In Wards Five and Eight where the sitting aldermen had not sought re-election, L. D. McDonald and A. G. Harvey respectively were elected. Ald. J. J. McRae was re-elected in Ward Nine as were Ald. Warner Loat in Ward Eleven and Ald. R. N. Fraser in Ward Twelve.

Five civic money bylaws involving expenditures totalling \$1,240,000 were all defeated.

### PREDICTS ECONOMIC SYSTEM BREAKDOWN

MANCHESTER, Dec. 10.—Sir George Paish, eminent economist, predicted in an address yesterday that the world's economic system would break down within two months.

### Liberal Member Makes Sensational Statement In By-Election Speech

Provincial Government Could Not Have Had Its Twenty-Five Per Cent Share, Declares Tom Reid of New Westminster in Golden Speech

GOLDEN, Dec. 10.—That the schedule of relief work for British Columbia had been cut by \$2,000,000 at Ottawa as a result of representations of Hon. J. W. Jones, provincial minister of finance and not because of pressure from the Dominion government, was the statement of Tom Reid, Liberal M. P. for New Westminster, in addressing a meeting here last night in the interests of Thomas King, Liberal candidate for Columbia riding in the provincial by-election.

"The only reason I can give is that the provincial government could not have had the money for their twenty-five per cent of the total," said Mr. Reid.

### LADIES' MUSIC CLUB MEETING

"Chopin" Was Subject of Discussion at Mrs. Chris Perry's

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Music Club was held at the home of Mrs. Chris Perry, Second Avenue, yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. R. L. McIntosh, the president, was in the chair. There was a large attendance of members.

Mrs. McIntosh reported that Mrs. Adams, of Hamilton, had donated one dozen small silver cups to the club for presentation purposes.

After routine business was disposed of, a paper of exceptional merit on "Chopin," prepared by Mrs. Perry, was read by Mrs. James Farquhar.

The following program, arranged by Mrs. Perry, was greatly enjoyed:

Paper on Chopin by Mrs. Perry, read by Mrs. James Farquhar.

Orchestra, "Nocturne," Opus 9—No. 2 in E Flat Major (Chopin), Mrs. Swanna Olafson, Mrs. G. A. Woodland and Mrs. Millar, Miss E. Currie and Miss M. A. Way.

Solo, "The Maiden's Wish," (Chopin), Mrs. E. Anderson. Piano solo, "Polonaise," Opus 26—No. 1 C Sharp Minor (Chopin), Mrs. E. Smith.

Piano solo, "Waltz," Opus 64—No. 1 in D Flat Major (Chopin), Miss Ruth Gillis.

Solo, "Homeward" (Chopin), Mrs. Wm. Cruickshank.

Piano solo, "Butterfly Etude" Opus 25—No. 9 (Chopin) Miss Swanna Olafson.

Piano solo, "Grand Waltz Brilliant" (Chopin), Mrs. Robert Bartlett.

Accompanists were Mrs. C. E. Cullin and Mrs. W. L. Stamford.

At the conclusion of the program tea was served by the hostess, Mrs. C. E. Cullin and Mrs. F. M. Good pouring.

### Tomorrow's Tides

Friday, December 11, 1931  
High 2:44 a.m. 20.1 ft.  
14:15 p.m. 22.3 ft.  
Low 8:27 a.m. 8.1 ft.  
21:08 p.m. 1.6 ft.

### VANCOUVER WHEAT

VANCOUVER, Dec. 10.—Wheat was quoted at 59¢ on the local exchange today.

### Study Period Is Failure

Principal D. H. Hartness Reveals to School Board

D. H. Hartness, principal of King Edward High School, told the school board at its meeting last night that the system of study periods without supervision had proven an "unqualified failure." The possibility was that they might be eliminated by means of some readjustment of the times of manual training and domestic instruction.

Trustee W. J. Greer felt that the schedules of the domestic science and manual training departments should be made to fit in with the High School class hours which he felt were the more important.

### ENROLMENT IN SCHOOL

Total of 1173 Children in Attendance During Month of November

Attendance figures in the city schools for the month of November were reported as follows to the school board last night:

	Boys	Girls	Ttl.
High School	113	141	254
Booth School	272	257	529
Borden School	154	155	309
Westview	14	12	26
Seal Cove	35	20	55

Totals 588 585 1173

Percentage attendance — High School, 97.6%; Booth School, 96.12%; Borden School, 96.12%; Westview, 93.39%; Seal Cove, 97.20.

Bank savings — Booth School, \$48.19; Borden School, \$26; Westview, \$8.67; Seal Cove, \$7.45.

### Korea Missions Form Subject For Address

The First United Church Young People's Society held its regular fortnightly meeting last evening in the church parlors with about 24 young people present.

Following the business meeting, Rev. A. Wilson gave a short talk on Korea and the missionary work that has been and is being done there by the churches.

Guessing games were then played and the meeting came to a close with the serving of refreshments.

The total wealth of Canada is estimated at \$30,000,000,000.