

UNEMPLOYMENT POLICY ANNOUNCED

MISS DOROTHY FRASER WINNER OF GOVERNOR'S MEDAL

Highway Camps For Unemployed Will Be Established in Various Parts of B. C. by Government

Subsistence Allowance of 35c an Hour For Married Men and 25c For Single Men With \$1 a Day Deducted For Board

VICTORIA, July 28:—Instructions have been issued by the government for the preparation of 11 highway camps in widely separated parts of the province at suitable places on eight main highways.

The plans include camps at Cloyah Bay, on the Prince Rupert route and on the Fort George-Yellowhead route.

A subsistence allowance will be paid those preparing the camp sites, which later will be used as permanent work camps on the highway construction of the government.

The men will work eight hours a day, five and a half days a week.

The subsistence allowance will be 35 cents an hour for men with dependents and 25 cents an hour for men without dependents. A charge of a dollar a day will be made for board, etc.

FIVE CENTS BUSHEL ON WHEAT CROP

Peace River Block of British Columbia Not to Share in Benefits of Bonus

OTTAWA, July 28:—A bill to grant a bonus of five cents a bushel on wheat in the three prairie provinces was given its third reading in the House of Commons today.

The bonus will not cover wheat grown in the Peace River Block of British Columbia, Premier Bennett stated when the question was raised by J. A. Fraser, Conservative member for Cariboo.

HUGE SUM FOR C. N. R.

House Votes \$68,500,000 For Railway to Make Up Deficiencies This Year

OTTAWA, July 28:—The third reading was given in the House of Commons yesterday to a measure authorizing the Canadian National Railways to issue securities to the extent of \$68,500,000 for the purpose of financing during 1931 where the amounts available from net operating income or investments may be insufficient.

Jail System of States Condemned

WASHINGTON, July 28:—A report has just been issued by the Law Enforcement committee condemning the whole jail system of the country as antiquated and ineffective.

NEW GERMAN BANK

BERLIN, July 28:—A new state bank is being formed here for the purpose of aiding the country in connection with credits.

LOCAL GIRL IS WINNER

Dorothy Fraser Second in Province—One Mark Behind Leader

VICTORIA, July 28:—Dorothy Louise Fraser, of Borden Street School, Prince Rupert, with 526 marks, won the Governor-General's bronze medal for District No. 10 in the high school entrance examinations. She was 13 marks higher than any other district winner.

Winnifred Odetta Hicks, of Agassiz, B.C., led the province with 527 marks.

Miss Fraser is a daughter of Inspector and Mrs. H. C. Fraser of Prince Rupert.

Believes Soviet Plan Will Spread

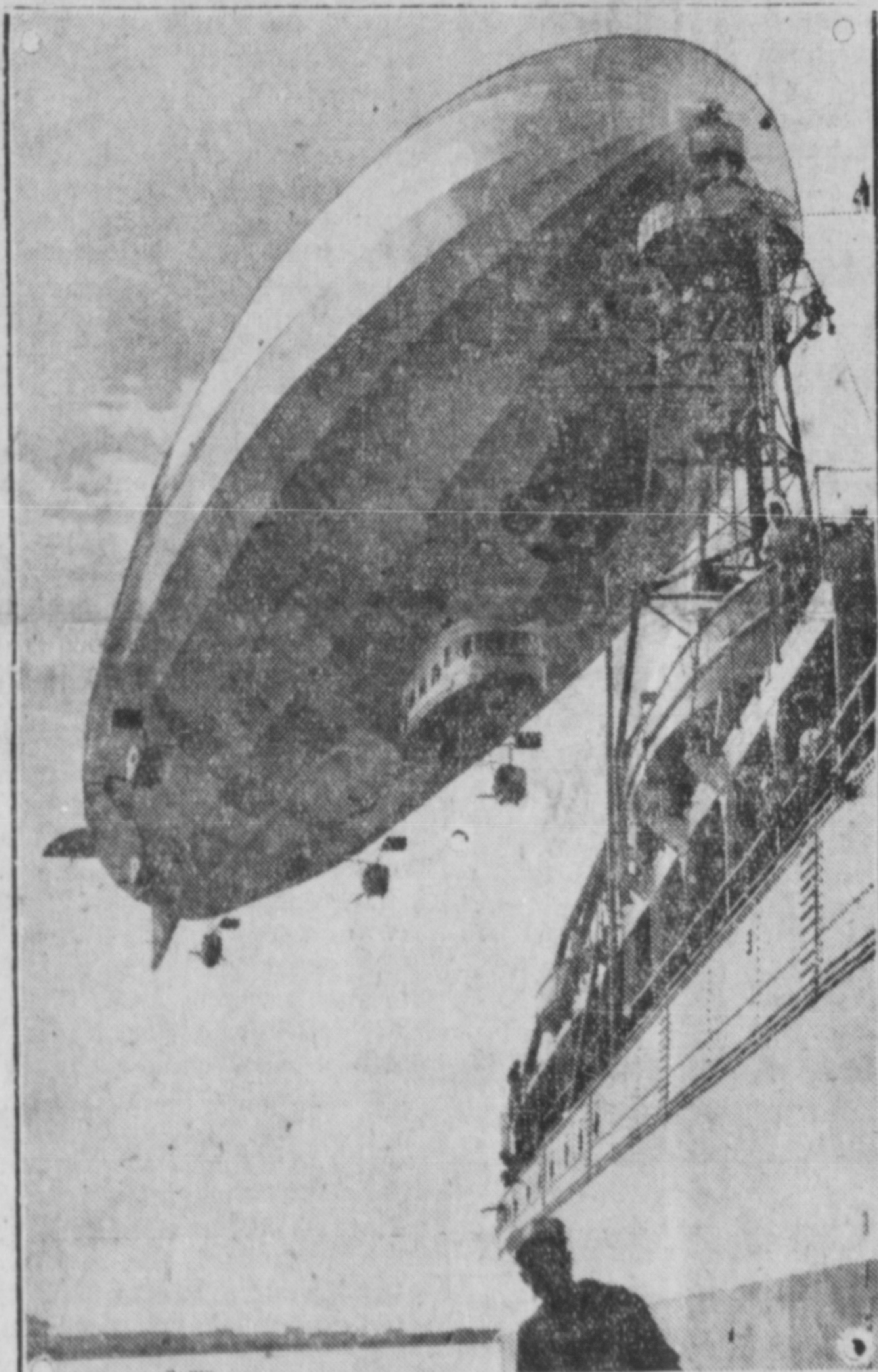
MOSCOW, July 28:—George Bernard Shaw, the well known playwright, who is visiting here, says he believes the Soviet system will expand to several other countries of Europe. He has been much pleased with what he has seen so far.

AMY JOHNSON WAS IN MOSCOW TODAY EN ROUTE TO TOKYO

KOENIGSBERG, Germany, July 28:—Amy Johnson, British woman flyer, landed here before noon today from Berlin, where she arrived at 6 o'clock this morning from London.

MOSCOW, July 28:—Amy Johnson landed here at 6:20 this evening.

When King Goes Joyriding



This is the ship that took the King and Queen of Siam on a trip at Lakehurst, N.J., riding as gracefully as her huge proportions permit, the dirigible, Los Angeles, seen a few minutes after she completed contact with her mooring mast on U.S.S. Patoka, off Montauk Point, L.I.

Entrance Examination Results Are Announced Today, All Local Passes Being Recorded Herewith

VICTORIA, July 28:—High school entrance passes have been announced here. Those passing on recommendation as well as those taking the examinations are included. There is a goodly number of Prince Rupert pupils who were successful, the complete list being as follows:

Booth Memorial Asta O. Dybhavn, 501; Beatrice A. Berner, 498; Clara W. Pierce, 485; Lillian Jones, 463; Edna Gillies, 392; Lewis W. Crompt, 368; Hilda Hanson, 364.

Promoted on Recommendation—Norman W. Allen, Isobel Birrell, Cecile Cavenaille, Douglas S. Christison, J. Herbert Cross, Lillian Davies, Lillian M. Hanson, Thelma Christina Hedstrom, Aubrey Floyd Ivarson, Veronia King, C. Allen Kirkendall, Gordon H. Lawson, Henry M. Lindseth, Frances M. Lisney, William McLean, Margaret A. McLeod, Helen J. McNaughton, Angus MacPhee, Ethel Moorehouse, Margaret M. Mussallem, Kazu M. Nishio, Cyril A. Ross, Donald M. Ryan, Ernest V. Santurbane, Gerhard A. Sather, Eleanor M. Sievert, Jean C. Stamp-Vincent, Edna Louise Strand, Doug-

LAKEHURST, N.J., July 28:—The King and Queen of Siam were taken for a ride yesterday in the dirigible Los Angeles. They were much pleased with the experience.

PATTULLO GOES NORTH

VICTORIA, July 28:—T. D. Pattullo, leader of the opposition, left yesterday for a speaking tour of the Peace River area of B.C.

PRESIDENT VACATES SANTIAGO, DE CHILE, July 28:—The president has fled from the country and left for an unknown destination.

EDITORIAL

NEED FOR PROTEST

It is announced that the Peace River Block of British Columbia will not be included in the bonus to be paid farmers who grow wheat on the prairies this year. In view of the circumstances we are of opinion that the protest will be so strong against this ruling that an amendment will be made to the bill before it passes.

The Peace River Block of British Columbia is handicapped more than any other part of the country in that it is farther from the point of shipment. For years a western outlet has been asked which would remedy this and put them within a reasonable distance of a shipping port.

The Peace Block is in Canada just as much as is Northern Alberta and the conditions are similar except that the B. C. handicap is, if anything, greater. We hope that Premier Bennett will see this and will decide to change his ruling and include the northern section of B.C. in the provisions of the bill. It does not seem right that the farmers on one side of the boundary line should get the bonus and those on the other side, where conditions are exactly similar, be cut off, especially when it is considered that all the grain in that part of the country has to be shipped out through Alberta.

Setting Out On 7,000-Mile Jaunt

Colonel Lindbergh Left New York Yesterday For Washington For Official Start

NEW YORK, July 28:—Colonel Lindbergh and his wife left for Washington yesterday afternoon in their 700 horse power airplane in which it is planned to fly over the top of the world to China and Japan. From there they make their official start.

Every instrument necessary to the long and arduous air journey has been installed on the machine. It is equipped for blind flying and all possible contingencies have been provided for.

The Lindberghs are not racing against time. They plan to make a leisurely trip over the 7,000 miles separating them from their goal.

Word has been received here that the ice pack is still solid at Point Barrow and the Hudson Bay boat Baychimo reports that just at present the way is blocked for her to approach that place.

WASHINGTON, July 28:—Colonel and Mrs. Lindbergh flew here from New York yesterday to confer with Washington officials familiar with their route to the Orient.

PRICE OF WHEAT

VANCOUVER, July 28:—The price of wheat was quoted here this morning at 52 1/2c.

Led Whole Province Yet Drowned Herself Because She Thought She Had Failed in High School Exams

Nanaimo Girl Failed in Algebra and Name Was Not on Published List of Passes

NANAIMO, July 28:—An eighteen-year old German high school girl, Chrisla Julie Urban, died from drowning Sunday, apparently a suicide, believing she had failed in her examinations when she had actually led the whole province in marks but failed in one subject—algebra.

The results Miss Urban had read contained the names only of those who passed in all subjects.

The body was recovered yesterday near Gabriola Island pier at Taylor's Bay.

SILVER IS IT MEXICO

Gold Standard Put Into Discard Yesterday With Great Popular Enthusiasm

MEXICO, July 28:—The new law prohibiting the use of gold coins which came into effect yesterday has been received with enthusiasm by the people of the country, for Mexico is a silver-producing country and it is expected to have a good effect on the mining industry in this country.

In the campaign which led to the repeal of the gold standard, it was argued that both the workers of the country and the merchants were at a disadvantage.

WILL HUNT AND STUDY

Scientists on Zeppelin Expect to Get In Touch With Russian Ice Breaker in Far North

FREDRICKSHAVEN, July 28:—The Graf Zeppelin which is now on her way to the polar regions by way of Spitzbergen is equipped with all kinds of scientific instruments in charge of men who will devote most of their time to studying the natural phenomena of the polar regions.

It is expected to get in touch with the Russian ice breaker in about 68 degrees north latitude.

Bear hunting is to be part of the program and there are on board the weapons necessary for hunting polar bears, walrus and other creatures that may be found in the country beyond.

AIRPLANES CROSSING ATLANTIC

Cape Cod Reported 500 Miles Out Early This Morning When Other Plane Left

FLOYD BENNETT AIRPORT, N. Y., July 28:—The Bellanca monoplane "Cape Cod," manned by Russell Boardman of Boston, and John Polando of Lynn, Mass., headed for Istanbul, Turkey, was reported 500 miles away about 5 o'clock this morning.

Within 18 minutes of hearing the report, Hugh Herndon Jr. and Clyde Pangborn set out for a world flight with Moscow as the immediate objective, 5,400 miles distant.

MORE MONEY VOTED

OTTAWA, July 28:—Supplementary estimates were tabled in the House of Commons last night amounting to \$12,869,643.

NO DEBATE ON ACTION OF FRANCE

Effort Made to Avoid International Discussions in England Owing to Situation

Gold Is Exported

LONDON, Eng., July 28:—Premier MacDonald is trying to arrange that there shall be no debate on the international situation in the House of Commons as it might tend to make negotiations more difficult. If there were a debate, it is pointed out, there would sure to be criticism of the action of France in connection with the German financial situation and there would also be remarks about the draining of English gold by France, shipments of gold from this country having been persistent up to as late as yesterday.

It is said here that the British gold going to France is being stored in vaults hewn out of the solid rock and equipped with supplies that would enable it to stand a siege of at least two months. It is looked upon as the most impregnable fortress in the world today.

Yatch Fetched Gyro Speaker And Col. Hiam

Catala Delayed by Trip Up River So Dr. L. W. eKrgin Went Out For Guests

This was a big day at the Gyro luncheon. The chief speaker was Dale Pitt, who discussed mining, with special reference to Portland Canal. There were a number of guests, including Colonel Hiam, assistant to President Thornton.

This morning, when it was found that the steamer Catala would not be here in time owing to making a run up the Skeena River before coming to port, Dr. L. W. Kergin was despatched with his fine new yacht to pick up Mr. Pitt and Colonel Hiam. They were taken off the Catala near Kinahan Island.

Fishery Tender Lost In South

VANCOUVER, July 28:—The 47-ton fisheries tender Green Sea has been lost off Vancouver Island. The crew was saved.