

Today's Weather

Prince Rupert—Overcast, calm; barometer, 29.74; temperature, 48; sea smooth.

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Tomorrow's Tides

Tuesday, April 19, 1932
High 12:17 p.m. 20:9 ft
Low 6:11 a.m. 3:2 ft
18:25 p.m. 3:8 ft.

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PRICE: FIVE CENTS

KILLED IN VANCOUVER AUTO SMASH

COST OF SOCIAL SERVICES MEANS HEAVY CITY BURDEN

Two Newspapermen Injured, Woman Killed, on Granville St. Bridge

Mrs. W. F. Findlay Dies Following Accident and Her Husband Is Not Expected to Recover—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sutherland Other Members of Party

VANCOUVER, April 18:—Mrs. William Findlay, victim of an automobile accident Saturday night, died shortly after noon today. She and her husband both suffered fractured skulls and other injuries. Mr. Findlay is not expected to live. He is prominent in newspaper and sports circles, being a member of the editorial staff of the Vancouver Sun.

BIG LOAN APPROVED

Victoria Ratepayers Ratify \$500,000 Bylaw to Meet Deficit on Unemployment Relief

VICTORIA, April 18:—By a vote of 2815 to 1589, the ratepayers of Victoria approved a bylaw submitted by the city council for \$500,000 to meet a deficit incurred on account of unemployment relief expenditure. The bylaw had a margin of 172 over the number of votes required to carry it.

Titanic Memorial Service Was Held in New York City

NEW YORK, April 18:—A memorial service was held here on Friday for those who lost their lives in the Titanic disaster exactly twenty years ago. "Nearer My God to Thee," the same hymn which the orchestra of the Titanic played as the great ship foundered with more than two thousand souls on board after striking an iceberg, was featured in the memorial service.

PASSING OF MINING MAN

George Henry Aylard Dies in Victoria Saturday Night At Age Of Seventy-Four

VICTORIA, April 18:—Geo. Henry Aylard, aged 74, one of the most outstanding figures in British Columbia mining, died here Saturday night.

THOUSANDS KILLED IN CHINESE QUAKE

PEIPING, China, April 18:—Reports received here at the week-end stated that scores of villages in Central China had been virtually destroyed by severe earthquakes. Many thousands of Chinese are believed to be dead. The earthquakes occurred on April 6 and centered in the northeast of Hupeh Province.

'Is Great Country' Says Mrs. Biddle

Philadelphia Society Woman in Vancouver After Flying in Central Alaska

VANCOUVER, April 18:—Arriving here at the end of the week aboard the steamer Princess Norah after having spent three months flying in lonely Central Alaska, Mrs. Edward M. Biddle, Philadelphia society woman, remarked that Alaska was a "grand country." Mrs. Biddle laughingly denied that she had made the trip with a view to writing a book about the customs of the native women of Alaska. She proceeds from here to her home in the east.

Trollers Get Few Fish at Week-End

Runs on Trolling Grounds Fall Off: Lower Price is Being Paid Today

There was a light run of salmon on the trolling grounds over the week-end. Small deliveries to port this morning brought 9c and 2c for red and white springs respectively. Last week 10c and 11c and 2c was being paid.

No Developments in Kidnap Case

NEW YORK, April 18:—There were no new developments over the week-end in the Lindbergh kidnaping case although negotiators expressed confidence that the child would be soon returned safely to its parents.

GOVERNMENT AGENT HOLDS AUCTION SALE AT PENNY

PRINCE GEORGE, April 18:—Government Agent George Milburn made a trip to Penny last Tuesday to auction off a number of sub-divisions upon which improvements had been placed by settlers without authority. Parcels brought an average price of \$25 per acre and purchasers were H. Mellos, John Harbacz, K. Aussland, J. Finlaison and R. Johnson.

Relief Workers In Alabama's Storm-Torn Area



Doughboys' doughnut express visits the storm-torn area of Alabama. Former fighters found fun furnishing food to the stricken farmers around Tuscaloosa. The legion's famous train, a familiar figure in convention parades, was put to work this time.

RAILWAY TO QUIT

Trans-Andean Line Will Cease Service Unless Chili-Argentina Tariff War Stops

VALPARAISO, Chile, April 18:—The Trans-Andean Railway, great railway which crosses the Andes Mountains at a high elevation to connect the two South American republics of Chile and Argentina, will be forced to discontinue service on April 29 unless the tariff war between the two countries, which has attained serious proportions, ceases. It was announced at the week-end by the management of the line.

Married Women Banished From Police Service

VANCOUVER, April 18:—The Vancouver police commission has adopted a policy under which it will not have in its employ married women whose husbands are receiving in excess of \$100 monthly. One policewoman, whose husband is a minister, is affected.

Dinner Tendered Andrew Mellon

Prince of Wales Among Speakers to Welcome New Ambassador of United States

LONDON, April 18:—Andrew W. Mellon, new United States ambassador to Great Britain, was the guest of honor at a dinner of the Pilgrim's Society held at the end of the week here. Among the speakers who welcomed Mr. Mellon was the Prince of Wales. The King sent his greetings.

Traction Savings in Seattle Amount To \$600 Per Day

SEATTLE, April 18:—Walter M. Brown, manager of the city street car system, announces that a saving of approximately \$600 per day has been achieved as a result of economies which have been put into effect on the system.

In Washington



Hon. L. J. Flenes, member of the Royal Air Force, who is air attache at the British embassy, Washington, D.C.

HIS BRAIN BEQUEATHED

Odd Bequest Is Made By Arnold Gale, seventy-year Old Physiologist, Who Died Recently

MINNEAPOLIS, April 18:—Under the will of Arnold Gale, 70-year old physiologist of radical views and former member of the faculty of the University of Minnesota, his brain is left to a Chicago doctor, who was a personal friend, for dissection purposes. Gale died recently.

WEATHER REPORT

Dead Tree Point—raining, fresh southeast wind; barometer, 29.64; temperature, 45; heavy swell. Triple Island—part cloudy, strong easterly wind; sea moderate. Langara Island—cloudy, light easterly wind; sea calm.

BIRTHDAY OF DARROW

Chief Defense Counsel in "Honor Murder" Trial is 75 Today

HONOLULU, April 18:—Clarence Darrow, chief counsel for the defence in the "honor murder" trial, celebrated his seventy-fifth birthday today.

The hearing resumed today after a two-day delay owing to Mr. Darrow's illness. Great interest was manifested in the evidence today owing to the expectation that Lieut. Thomas H. Massie would confess the killing with a plea of temporary insanity.

Halibut Landings

American—141,500 pounds, 5c and 2c to 7c and 3c. Canadian—98,000 pounds, 4c and 2c to 5.1c and 2c.

American Clipper, 50,000, Atlin, 6c and 3c. Arctic, 27,000, Cold Storage, 5.6c and 2c. Havana, 45,000, left for Seattle. Oceanic, 18,000, Cold Storage, 6c and 3c. Hyperion, 12,000, Cold Storage, 5c and 2c. Onah, 15,000, Booth, 7c and 3c. Garland, 14,500, and Wave, 5,000, Booth, 6c and 3c.

Canadian Margaret I., 6,500; Cape Spencer, 7,000; Alken, 12,000; Albert K., 2,000; Pair of Jacks, 12,000; Helen II., 9,500; Morris H., 10,000; Tramp, 7,000; Gulvik, 6,000, and Rose Spit, 12,000, Cold Storage, 5c and 2c. Eric Roy, 8,000, and Nuba, 3,000, Booth, 5.1c and 2c. Fanny F., 3,000, Atlin, 4c and 2c.

CONTROL IS ADVOCATED

Senator McRae Thinks Radium Production Should Come Under Dominion Government

OTTAWA, April 18:—A move to bring radium production in Canada under control of the Dominion government "in the interests of suffering humanity" has been instituted in Parliament by Senator A. D. McRae of Vancouver.

Senator McRae warned prospectors against rushing in too great numbers into the new Great Bear Lake country, declaring that it was by no means a small man's field.

Over \$12,000 Hoisted On To City As Result of Budgetary Change

Reply Received From Minister of Finance Regarding Payments For Institutional Services and Mothers' Pensions

The city clerk is in receipt of a communication from Hon. J. W. Jones, minister of finance, in which it is intimated that costs of social services, transferred at the recent session of the Legislature from the province to the municipalities, will involve some \$12,040.32 annually as far as Prince Rupert is concerned, this figure being based on the present basis of use of these services. Mr. Jones, in replying to an inquiry from the city, tabulates these costs as follows: Mental hospitals, 32 inmates, \$5,840. Boys' industrial school, eight inmates, \$2,336. Girls' industrial school, two inmates, \$584. Tranquille Sanitarium, three inmates, \$602.25. Mothers' pensions, 10 pensioners, \$2,678.07.

WOULD USE LASH MORE

Vancouver Believes It Would Be More Effective on Criminals Than Long Prison Terms

VANCOUVER, April 18:—A drive for more liberal use of the lash instead of long prison terms, especially for crimes of violence involving the use of guns, has been instituted by the Vancouver police commission, following up suggestions made recently along this line by the Vancouver Board of Trade.

Support of the movement will be sought from Hon. R. H. Pooley, attorney-general for the province, and Hon. Hugh Guthrie, federal minister of justice.

PROBE IS ON AGAIN

New York Stock Exchange Trading Methods Under Investigation Still By Committee

NEW YORK, April 18:—With Richard Whitney, president of the New York Exchange, still on the stand, the senate probe of trading on the exchange resumed its investigations today. Specific and pertinent questions had been prepared for Mr. Whitney to answer instead of mere general inquiries such as those of last week.

PARLEY IN HONOLULU

Trade to Be Discussed By Nations of Pacific on May 4, 5 and 6

HONOLULU, April 18:—Arrangements are being made for a trade conference here on May 4, 5 and 6 of representatives of countries bordering on the Pacific Ocean. Japan, China, Australia and United States will be among the countries represented.

Body of Aged Woman Found

Miss Annie Symcock, Aged 70, Was Victim of Drowning at Esquimalt

VICTORIA, April 18:—The body of Miss Annie Symcock, aged 70, was found on the beach at Esquimalt yesterday. Death had been due to drowning.

PASSES IN ESQUIMALT

Mrs. Elizabeth Pooley, Mother of Attorney-General, Dies At Age Of 83

VICTORIA, April 18:—Mrs. Elizabeth Pooley, widow of the late Charles E. Pooley, K.C., and mother of Hon. R. H. Pooley, attorney-general for British Columbia, died Saturday after a long illness. She was eighty-three years of age and had lived for the most of her life in Esquimalt.

COUPLE GUILTY

Vancouver Jury Convicts Man and Woman of Conspiracy to Defraud Insurance Company

VANCOUVER, April 18:—A jury at the Supreme Court Assizes here, Mr. Justice Fisher presiding, returned a verdict of guilty against Mrs. Louise Minness and Elijah Moran on charges of conspiracy to defraud a fire insurance company of approximately \$6000 in connection with a fire at Ladner. The pair were remanded until the end of Assizes for sentence.

VANCOUVER WHEAT

VANCOUVER, April 18:—Wheat was quoted at 61 3/4c on the local exchange today.

TROTSKY INVITED BACK TO RUSSIA

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 18:—It is reported here that Leon Trotsky, formerly dictator of Soviet Russia, has been invited to return to his native country by Joseph Stalin, the present dictator. Trotsky has been living in exile in this country for the last few years.