URGE WORLD ECONOMIC MEET

Today's Weather

Prince Rupert—Overcast, light westerly wind; barometer, 29.98; temperature, 58; sea smooth.

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Tomorrow's Tides

Wednesday, June 1, 1932

High	11:50 a.m.	16:9 ft.
	23:40 p.m.	19:8 ft.
Low	5:49 a.m.	5:0 ft.
	17:34 p.m.	8:5 ft.

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BROWNE'S PLANE FALLS IN FLAMES

Seattle-Tokyo Flight Ends Before Leaving For Japan Monday

Neither Ocean Pilot or His Refuelling Aide Badly Injured in Drop to Elliott Bay—Fuel Hose Touched Machine in Mid-Air

SEATTLE, May 31:—The big Fokker monoplane, in which Nathan C. Browne, young United States Army flyer from New York, had intended to make a non-stop flght from Seattle to Tokio for prize money aggregating $29,000, burst into flames yesterday when a hose from the refuelling plane touched it. The plane fell blazing into Elliott Bay from mid-air. Browne had been attempting to fuel in the air for the Pacific flight.

Both Browne and his refuelling aide, Frank Brooks, "bailed out," landing in the water, but were rescued. Browne suffered an injury to his arm.

Had the refuelling been successful Brooks was to have "bailed out," leaving Browne alone to proceed on the flight to Tokio.

LANDINGS ARE DOWN

Halibut Arrivals at Prince Rupert For May Just About Half of Those For Month in 1931

Halibut landings at the port of Prince Rupert for the month of May this year amounted to 1,678,500 pounds as compared with 3,006,000 pounds in the same month last year. Landings of Canadian halibut for the month ending today have totalled 497,700 pounds as against 1,052,500 pounds in May last year while American landings this month amount to 1,180,800 pounds as compared with 1,903,500 pounds in May 1931.

Police Court Fines Lower

Total of $175 Taken in May Bringing Year's Total to Date to $1135 as Against $2543.50

Fines collected in city police court during May this year totalled but $175 as compared with $265 in the same month last year. So far this year fine collections have totalled $1135 as against $2543.50 in the first five months of 1931.

Prince George Child Passes at Kamloops

The death occurred at Kamloops on May 18 of Richard Samuel, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Marling of Prince George. Interment took place at Kamloops on the following day.

NO FISH SALE TODAY

Although the American schooner Resolute with 20,000 pounds and the Canadian boat Teeny Milly with 8,000 pounds were in, there were no bids for halibut on the local Fish Exchange this morning and the two boats are holding over their catches until tomorrow.

VANCOUVER WHEAT

VANCOUVER, May 31: — Wheat was quoted at 60¼c on the local exchange today

PLANES ON WAY NORTH

Four Detroit Flying Boats to Fly Into Atlin District

Four American flying boats, financed by a syndicate of Detroit and Toronto men, cleared the Canadian customs a few days ago at Detroit enroute to Scurvy Creek in the Atlin district where they will be used in staking claims for a Michigan syndicate. The party is headed by J. H. Eastman, designer of the Eastman flying boat, and the planes are being flown by Canadian pilots. The expedition is expected to reach Prince George any time now enroute north.

The Detroit party has been attracted to Scurvy Creek by reports of a placer strike made there some time ago by an Indian. The syndicate already has had one plane in the district earlier in the season. It is reported that $50,000 has been subscribed to finance the present expedition.

Other eastern United States parties are interested in the Scurvy Creek area and are using the Junkers plane of the Canadian Airways Ltd., piloted by Stan McMillan, to reach the district from Atlin.

Ferry at Fort St. John Now In Operation

FORT ST. JOHN, May 31:—The ferry has been put back on the river for the summer. Traffic has been practically stopped during the past month while the break-up was on. Vic Peck of Hudson's Hope was the first to make the trip up the river this season.

Terrace Minister Chosen Treasurer Of B. C. Church

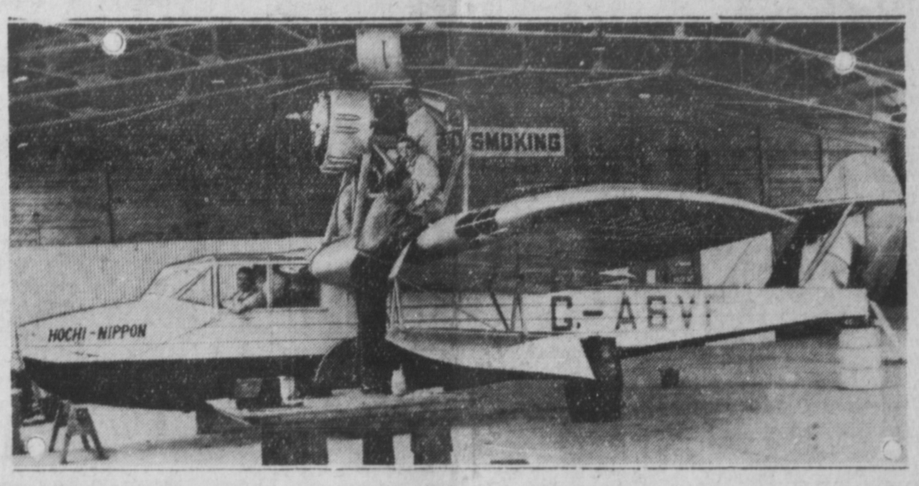
Rev. H. T. Allen of Terrace was elected treasurer of the United Church for British Columbia at the recent conference in New Westminster.

Mr. Allen and Mrs. G. E. Darby of Bella Bella were elected delegates to the general council for Prince Rupert Presbytery with Rev. S. V. H. Redman of Hazelton and Mrs. W. T. Kergin of Prince Rupert as alternates.

WEATHER REPORT

Dead Tree Point—Overcast, fresh southeast wind; barometer, 29.86; temperature, 54; heavy swell.

Japanese Flier Makes Ready For Pacific Flight



There's much activity at the Oakland municipal airport where Seiji Yoshihara, Japanese flier, and a staff of mechanics put the Hochi Nippon in shape for his proposed flight from Seattle to Tokio over the Pacific Ocean.

Ambassador Mellon Inquires of British Attitude On Matter of Conference on Commodity Prices

Andrew Mellon Has Discussed Question With Sir John Simon—British Government is Now Giving Suggestion Consideration, it is Learned

LONDON, May 31:—Ambassador Andrew W. Mellon of the United States has asked the British Foreign Office whether Great Britain believes a world conference to consider the universal slump in commodity prices would ameliorate the general economic conditions, it was learned today. The ambassador discussed the question with Sir John Simon, British Secretary for Foreign Affairs, but thus far nothing definite has developed.

The query of the ambassador remains under consideration by the British government.

MORE BULLS ARE COMING

Third Shipment of Sires Into Central Interior to Be Made Within Next Fortnight

Shipment of a third carload of registered bulls into the central interior districts will be made within the next two weeks. The shipment will again be in charge of Tom Stewart of the Dominion Livestock Bureau and will consist of dairy bulls which are now being picked up from leading breeders in the Fraser Valley.

Of the consignment two sires will go to McBride, two to Telkwa, three to Fraser Lake and one to the Nadina Valley.

Local Girl Does Well In Exams At University

Miss Dorothy E. Patmore, daughter of L. W. Patmore of this city, was one of eleven students out of 106 enrolled in the 1932 teachers' class at the University of British Columbia who took first class honors in the education and teaching examinations, results of which have just been announced. To rank in the first class, it is necessary to have percentage of eighty or over.

Miss Patmore graduated from the University last year and has been taking this special course this year. She is now qualified for teaching in either high or public schools.

MILLION AND HALF IS RAISED FOR PULP MILL

According to a recent item in the Chicago Tribune $1,500,000 has already been raised towards the establishment of the proposed new pulp mill here. The Middle West seems to be taking a keen interest in the project and some prominent men in Chicago and thereabouts have already become interested.

LUMBER TARIFF

Member For Skeena Asks Question In House and Minister of Trade and Commerce Replies

In the course of recent discussion in the House of Commons at Ottawa on proposed changes in the customs tariff of New Zealand on timber, rough sawn and rough hewn, under the new trade agreement between Canada and New Zealand, Olof Hanson, M.P. for Skeena, inquired if this item included poles and pilings a good deal of which kind of lumber is shipped to the United States.

In reply, Hon. H. H. Stevens, minister of trade and commerce, gave it as his impression that poles, piling and that sort of lumber would come under the general British preference.

TRIBUTE IS PAID

Large Congregation Attends Mass For Late Mrs. Morrissey at Church of Annunciation

The Church of the Annunciation was filled to capacity by the congregation which gathered this morning to pay final tributes of esteem and respect to the memory of the late Mrs. Mary Susanne Morrissey for whom Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Father Charles Webb O.M.I., the parish priest, assisted by Fathers Charles Wolfe of Anyox and Father E. Allard of Fort St. James. The sermon was delivered by Father P. J. McGrath O.M.I. of McBride and Charles P. Balagno presided at the organ.

Members of the Imperial Order, Daughters of the Empire, and of the Catholic Women's League, of which deceased during life was a valued member, attended the service in a body.

Following the church service, a large procession followed the cortege to the chapel of the B. C. Undertakers. This afternoon the remains were placed aboard the steamer Catala on which they will be taken to Seattle where interment will be made in the family plot.

Pallbearers were G. W. Nickerson, James McNulty, Joseph Garon, Harold McEwen, Henri Letourneau and M. P. McCaffery. The last-mentioned is accompanying the remains to Seattle.

Vancouver Man Had Daughter At Snowshoe

Andrew Alexander Lockhart, aged 59, father of Miss Myra Lockhart of Snowshoe, died recently in Vancouver, the funeral taking place in Vancouver from the chapel of the Mount Pleasant Undertaking Co. Mr. Lockhart is survived by his widow, two daughters and one son.

CONCERT IS ENJOYABLE

Prince Rupert Singers Again Acquit Themselves With Credit

The Prince Rupert Singers, under the able direction of H. N. Brocklesby, gave a repeat recitacl last evening in First United Church and acquitted themselves even more creditably than in the original presentation about a month ago in the Capitol Theatre. The program had been considerably altered for this occasion, only vocal numbers being offered including mixed choruses, ladies' choruses, men's choruses, duets and solos. The program was received with much enthusiasm by the audience and, at the conclusion, many of those present went forward to offer personal congratulations to Mr. Brocklesby.

Before the regular program opened, the concert party sang the anthem "He Shall Keep Him in Perfect Peace" in honor of the memory of the late William Mitchell, victim of a recent drowning accident, who was chairman for the Gyro Club in charge of the concert on the occasion of the first presentation. The audience stood while this anthem was being sung.

Numbers sung by the mixed chorus were "Were You There When They Crucified My Lord" "Eriskay Love Lilt," "Inchcape Rock," "Boreas," "Challenge of Thor," "The Fortune Teller's Song" and "Come Lasses and Lads."

Ladies' choruses were "Indian Mountain Song" and "Snow" and men's choruses "Swing Along" and "Promis' Land" (sea chanteys).

Vocal duets were "O That We Two Were Maying" by Mrs. A. J. Webber and Miss Jean Robertson and "Flow Gently Deva" by J. E. Davey and Dr. R. G. Large. Solos were "Two Scotch Folk Songs" by Mrs. H. N. Brocklesby, "Homing" and "Once in a Blue Moon" by Mrs. F. W. Allen. These were all new numbers and each was very acceptable.

Charles P. Balagno was piano accompanist. O. F. Denstedt and A. C. Cameron were violinists.

William Cruickshank and L. W. Waugh presided at the door and ushers were C. C. Mills, N. L. Freeman, C. E. Starr and Sam Jabour.

Alphonse Levecque Laid at Rest Today

Interment in Fairview Cemetery Followed Requiem Mass in Church of Annunciation

Solemn requiem mass for the repose of the soul of Alphonse Leveque, pioneer resident of this city and ex-service man, was celebrated this morning in the Church of the Annunciation by Father E. M. Leray O.M.I. of Stewart. There was quite a large gathering of old friends and returned men in attendance for the rites.

Following the church service, the remains were taken to Fairview Cemetery where interment was made. The Last Post was sounded by Bugler William Rance.

Pallbearers were William Wilson, Henry Smith, Alex Harvey, Fred Riffou, D. Seguin and W. H. McCallum.

Those sending flowers were Bulkley Market, Mr. and Mrs. W. Barton and Eric, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Stephens and family, Yvonne Riffou, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Leroux, Mr. and Mrs. V. Terrien, T. Trotier, Canadian Legion and Mr. and Mrs. P. J. McCormick.

GOES INTO DOG CREEK

I. R. Montgomery Head of Party of Four Men Which Has Left Vancouver For North

VANCOUVER, May 31:—H. R. Montgomery headed a party of four men which left here last week for Dog Creek near Fort St. James to work on placer claims located last year by Mr. Montgomery when he was coming out from Rainbow Creek.

Other outfits will be starting from here for the Omineca section within the next few days.

Tom Brice Is Laid at Rest

Former Local R. C. M. P. Officer is Buried in Vancouver Where He Died Last Week

Funeral service for the late Sergeant Thomas Crozier Brice, R. C. M. P., for many years stationed in Prince Rupert, who died in Vancouver on Thursday morning of last week, took place Saturday morning from Christ Church Cathedral in Vancouver under the auspices of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police. Rev. F. H. Wilkinson and Rev. C. C. Owen officiated and burial was made in the returned soldiers' plot in Mountain View Cemetery.

Thomas Louden Back on Coast

Former Assistant Superintendent Engineer Now General Superintendent of C. N. Steamships

Thomas Louden, for the past five years general superintendent engineer, Canadian National Steamships at Montreal, has returned to this coast to take over the post of general superintendent of Canadian National Steamships with headquarters in Vancouver. He will have jurisdiction over the operation of company ships on the Pacific Coast and the Prince Rupert drydock. Mr. Louden, before going to Montreal, was assistant superintendent engineer for the company on this coast.

FORTUNE IS UNCLAIMED

Two Heirs of Late Edwin John Miller Awaited—Money in Vancouver, Terrace and Hazelton

Two heirs of the late Edwin John Miller, who left $21,853 in savings, banks in Vancouver, Hazelton and Terrace, are believed to be resident in British Columbia although they have not yet turned up to claim the fortune. The only two known relatives of the deceased are known as "Mr. Miller" and "Miss Miller," their Christian names being unknown.

Miller died in Victoria on May 11 after having been a patient in hospitals and nursing homes for some time. He died intestate with large amounts in savings banks which will be divided by the official administrator between the two relatives whose whereabouts is so far unknown. The money is being held in trust until they turn up and establish their identity.