

Today's Weather

Prince Rupert—Overcast, calm; barometer, 29.85; temperature, 37; sea smooth.

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Tomorrow's Tides

Sunday, January 17, 1932. High 8:18 a.m. 18:0 ft. 21:35 p.m. 14:8 ft. Low 1:17 a.m. 10:0 ft. 15:02 p.m. 8:2 ft.

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AMERICAN POLITICS ARE WARMING UP DRASTIC CUT IN ELECTORAL SEATS IS BEING ADVOCATED

DEMOCRATS WAR CHEST

Campaign Launched to Raise \$1,500,000 to Be Used in Presidential Contest

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—With the holding of monster dinners Thursday night in various cities of importance throughout the country, the Democratic party launched a campaign for a \$1,500,000 war chest for the 1932 presidential election.

Franklin D. Roosevelt, Governor of New York and apparent favorite for the party's nomination, was the principal speaker at New York while at Boston Former Governor A. E. Smith, candidate in 1928, was the speaker.

Governor Albert Ritchie of Maryland and Former Governor Al Smith are also still mentioned as possibilities for the Democratic nomination.

POST IS REWARDED

Globe Circumnavigator Receives Gold Medal of National Aeronautical Association

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—The National Aeronautical Association has awarded its gold medal for the most distinguished flying achievement in 1931 to Wiley Post, who circumnavigated the globe in record time last summer.

Harold Gatty, who was Post's companion on the record breaking flight, is cited as the leading navigator of the year.

Governor of Washington

W. Long Johnson Not in Field but Will Support Candidature of John Gellately

COLVILLE, Wash., Jan. 16.—Former Lieutenant Governor W. Long Johnson has intimated that he was not in the field for the Republican nomination for state governor. He indicated that he would throw his support to the candidature of Lieutenant-Governor John A. Gellately of Wenatchee.

HONEYMOON FOR AIMEE

Evangelist and Her Husband, David Hutton, to Make Winter Trip to Cuba

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 16.—David Hutton and his wife, Aimee Semple McPherson, have booked passage to leave on January 30 for a delayed honeymoon trip to Cuba. Hutton and the famous Foursquare Gospel evangelist were married several months ago.

VANCOUVER WHEAT

VANCOUVER, Jan. 16.—Wheat was quoted at 62c on the local exchange today, this being a slight gain over yesterday.

RECONSTRUCTION PLAN OF HOOVER'S PASSED BY HOUSE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—By a vote of 300 to 55, the House last night passed President Hoover's \$2,000,000,000 finance reconstruction corporation under which it is planned to have "frozen assets" released in order to assist the country in an industrial revival.

RETURN TO OLD VILLAGE

Group of Natives Coming Tomorrow From Alaska on Mission of Reconciliation

Arriving here on the Princess Mary tomorrow afternoon will be an interesting group of natives from New Metlakatla, Alaska, on a mission of reconciliation headed by Rev. Paul Mathers, the first Indian of the Tsimpsian tribe to be ordained a priest of the Anglican Church. Mr. Mathers will preach at the Anglican Cathedral here tomorrow.

The group arriving tomorrow are representatives of the Indians who were led to Alaska years ago by Father Duncan, a lay missionary of the Anglican Church, who broke with the Anglicans in British Columbia. They plan to visit old Metlakatla Indian village Monday and will meet the natives there and proceed later in the week to Kitkatla, another Anglican native village south of Porcher Island. They expect to be able to heal the breach caused by the separation years ago and thus reunite the whole Tsimpsian tribe.

Rev. Paul Mathers was ordained by Bishop Rowe of Alaska. He was born at Metlakatla and was seven years old when he was taken to Alaska by his parents.

FORCES IN NICARAGUA

United States Government Doubles Force of Marines Owing to Impending Election

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—Owing to the forthcoming general election in the Central American republic, the United States government has decided to double the strength of its force of marines there. This will mean the landing of an additional five hundred men who will be withdrawn as soon as the election is over.

BROADWAY HAS FIGHT

Communists and Police Officers Stage Miniature Pitched Battle

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—Broadway was the scene yesterday of a miniature pitched battle when some 500 Communists clashed with 200 police officers. The Communists, who had planned to stage a demonstration at the City Hall, were dispersed without notable mishap.

FISHERMEN ON STRIKE

Trouble Among Tuna Employees of California—Sabotage Is Feared

SAN PEDRO, Jan. 16.—Five thousand tuna fishermen of San Pedro and vicinity, owing to a controversy with their employers, have decided to go on strike. Communist agitators are believed to be at the bottom of the trouble and sabotage is feared. The strikers are armed and there is a possibility that disorders may arise.

The Department of Labor has taken steps to make an immediate investigation of the dispute and, pending the findings, an appeal has been made to the strikers to hold any action they might contemplate in abeyance.

Alberta Relief Is Financed to End of February

Federal Appropriations Passed So That Men May Continue at Work at Camps

EDMONTON, Jan. 16.—Welcome news for 450 Edmonton men employed in Jasper-Banff and Elk Park relief camps was received by A. U. G. Bury, M.P., when it was learned that federal appropriations have been passed to continue work until the end of February.

Under previous reports, funds had been provided for the month of January only. The announcement makes it clear that the camps will remain open until the end of February in any event. As the house of Commons will be in session, and can deal with conditions at that time, it is felt that work will be continued until spring as first intended, providing that weather conditions are suitable.

There are over 325 Edmonton ex-service men employed on the Jasper-Banff scenic highway, while another 125 are in camps at Elk Island park.

Continue Road Extension Another bit of cheering news for Edmonton is that sufficient funds are available to continue work on an extension of the Jasper Highway westward from Jasper to the British Columbia boundary till March 15. It is hoped that this work will be continued during the spring and summer as part of the regular operations of the federal parks branch.

SENTENCE IMPOSED

Former Dominion Government Annuitant Agent at Vancouver Draws Four Years

VANCOUVER, Jan. 16.—Four years in New Westminster penitentiary was the sentence imposed by Police Magistrate W. M. McKay on Chester G. Beveridge, formerly agent for Dominion Government Annuities here, when the latter pleaded guilty today to a charge of dealing in forged documents. The defalcations of Beveridge will amount to \$46,099. City Prosecutor Oscar Orr told the court.

Narrowly Escaped Death



Ralph Hepburn, one of America's foremost automobile racers, is near death after his car plunged through guard rail and over embankment at Oakland speedway during New Year's Day automobile races. A bursting tire caused accident.

CLERGYMAN IS KILLED

Rev. W. Elliott of Victoria Lost His Life When Struck by Automobile Last Night

VICTORIA, Jan. 16.—Rev. W. Elliott, aged 65, retired United Church pastor, was fatally injured last night when struck by a car on Esquimalt Road. He died in hospital later.

HEAVY SNOW CALIFORNIA

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 16.—The weather in Southern California continues unusual indeed. Snow remained on the ground in this city until well into the morning yesterday.

All centres in the state report more or less heavy falls of snow and thousands of California children have thrown their first snowballs. Snow gauges installed in various parts of the state as long ago as 54 years ago registered for the first time yesterday.

LIQUOR TAX WILL AID EMPLOYMENT

QUEBEC, Jan. 16.—The government of this province is considering a plan to put a 5c tax on every pint of liquor of any kind sold in Quebec in order to raise funds to aid unemployment. A huge amount could be raised annually by such an impost, it is stated.

CAMPAIGN LAUNCHED

Drive Starts on Behalf of President Hoover's Renomination

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—Definite announcement that the campaign of President Herbert Hoover for renomination by the Republican party will start at once is expected to bring to a head any opposition existing within the party against the chief executive. Meantime, General Charles G. Dawes, who is resigning as ambassador to London, joins as the president's chief opponent for the Republican nomination.

Postmaster General Brown will take active charge of the campaign for President Hoover.

Vancouver Gets Heavy Snowfall

Six Inches of "Beautiful" Fell Last Night and More is Coming Down Today

VANCOUVER, Jan. 16.—Six inches of snow fell here last night and the wintry precipitation was still continuing this morning.

Aged Saanich Woman Passes

Mrs. Malcolm Ferguson 96, Resident of Vancouver Island Community For 36 Years

VICTORIA, Jan. 16.—Mrs. Malcolm Ferguson, aged 96, for 36 years a resident of Saanich, died yesterday.

Proposal Put Forward In Victoria to Reduce B.C. Seats to Fourteen

Reduction in Size of Cabinet is Also Urged—Conservatives Being Convassed on Matter—Economy and Efficiency Sought

VICTORIA, Jan. 16.—Reduction of provincial electoral districts from forty-eight to fourteen, coinciding with federal ridings, together with reduction in the size of the cabinet and elimination of twenty-eight seats, is being proposed in motions laid before Victoria Conservative supporters and before party circles for discussion. The proposals are being made with a view to cutting expenditures and promoting economy and efficiency.

DEALS ARE HOOKED UP

United States State Department Urged Loan to Columbia While Oil Concessions Were Being Given There

WASHINGTON, D.C., Jan. 16.—Evidence was forthcoming Thursday that, while the Department of State was pressing New York banks last year to extend a \$4,000,000 credit to the South American republic of Colombia, certain United States financial interests were acquiring \$2,000,000,000 oil concessions in Colombia. It was declared in official quarters that the two deals had no connection whatever.

It was recalled, however, that the President of Colombia had urged that, in view of the concession, the United States should permit the credit.

PASSING OF PROSPECTOR

Late Harry Coulter Participated in Every Gold Rush in Alaska During 34 Years

SITKA, Alaska, Jan. 16.—Harry Coulter, aged 60, participant in practically every gold stampede in Alaska during the past 34 years, died on Thursday the victim of a heart attack.

CONDITION IS SERIOUS

Abe Kaplan Badly Hurt in Wrestling Match at Portland With Strangler Lewis

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 16.—Lapsing between consciousness and unconsciousness, Abe Kaplan, the wrestler, continued in a serious condition in a local hospital yesterday suffering from severe dislocation of vertebrae at the base of the neck. He suffered the injury in a wrestling bout with Ed "Strangler" Lewis, former world's grappling champion, here Wednesday night.

HEIRESS IS MURDERESS

Helen Joyce Morgan of Flint, Mich., Found Guilty of Homicide

FLINT, Mich., Jan. 16.—Helen Joyce Morgan, heiress to millions of dollars, was found guilty of second degree murder here in connection with the killing of her thrice divorced sweetheart, Leslie Castile. Sentence will be passed later.

Former Secretary Of Navy Injured

Condition of Josephus Daniels With Concussion of Brain Is Declared Serious

ATLANTA, Georgia, Jan. 16.—Josephus Daniels, war time Secretary of the Navy of the United States, is in a serious condition, here suffering from concussion of the brain sustained in an automobile accident here on Wednesday.

CONFERENCE IN CHICAGO

Railway Heads and Employees to Discuss Wage Cut and Unemployment

CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—Owing to certain technicalities a conference which was to have opened here yesterday between representatives of nine major railway companies in United States and representatives of railway employees for the purpose of discussing a proposed wage cut and unemployment was unable to get under way.

It was expected that the differences would be settled today so that the conference might proceed.

FIVE-DAY WEEK NOW

City of Los Angeles Cuts \$790,000 Per Year From Municipal Services, It Is Estimated

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 16.—The sum of \$790,000 per year, it is estimated, will be lopped off expenditures of the city of Los Angeles by adoption of a five-day week in all the municipal services, it was stated yesterday.

There are between 50 and 60 living species of deer found the world over, except in Australasia and South Africa.