Today's Weather

Prince Kupert-Clear, calm; barometer, 30.10; temperature, 31; sea smooth.

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Tomorrow's Tides Wednesday, January 13, 1932 5:00 a.m. 19:1 ft. 16:50 p.m. 17:7 ft. 11:08 a.m. 8:0 ft.

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23:10 p.m. 6:1 ft.

CANADAN DELEGATION IS CHUSEN

SMITHERS URGES REDISTRIBUTION OF PROVINCIAL SEATS

Enormous Petition For World Disarmament Is Presented to Premier

Document Weighing Nearly Quarter of Ton and Signed By Half Million Canadians Given to Bennett In Senate Chamber Today

OTTAWA, Jan. 12:-Sir George Perley, Hon. Maurice Dupre and Miss M. W. Kidd of Montreal, the last mentioned president of the National Council of Women, will represent Canada at the disarmament conference to be held soon in Geneva. Premier Bennett announced the appointments on the occasion of the presentation to him in SKIPPER

the Senate Chamber of a petition urging world disarmament signed by nearly half a million Canadians. The petition weighed nearly a quarter of a ton.

* PARIS, Jan. 12:- The entire *

Acquaintances He Made While

Visiting This Country

his stay in America.

Port Coquitlam-R. C. Galer.

Grand Forks-Thomas A. Love.

Duncan-Mayor Prevost.

Cumberland-A. Maxwell.

Nelson-John P. Morgan.

Nanaimo-John Barsby.

Revelstoke-S. Needham.

Slocan City-Peter Swan.

Fernie-Harry E. Douglas.

Greenwood-A. J. Morrison.

Enderby-Charles Hawkins.

Ladysmith—Joseph Mason.

Exchange today.

VANCOUVER WHEAT

BIRTH

Armstrong-J. M. Wright.

FRENCH CABINET

Prisoner in City Jail Cell Slashes 4 TO RECONSTRUCT His Throat With Razor-Is Expected to Recover

SUICIDE IS

Frang Suchet, a local unemploy- French cabinet today followed ed man, who was to complete a 14- + the example of Aristide Briand + day term of imprisonment tomor- and placed their portfolios in + row for their recently from the + the hands of Premier Pierre + Presbyterians home of A. E. Parlow, nearly suc- + Laval who will reconstruct the + ceeded in taking his own life by + ministry. The action follows + slashing his throat with a razor in + the ill-health of Briand and + a cell at the city lock-up last night. 4 the death a few days ago of 4 Prompt attention was instrumental + Andrew Gaginot, minister of + At Annual Meeting Last Night Inin saving his life and Suchet is now | war. receiving treatment at the Prince | * Rupert General Hospital where it + + + + + + + + + + + + + + + was stated this morning that he

It was at 10:30 last night that Appreciation where made the suicide attempt. Suchet made the suicide attempt. He was locked up in his cell and used an open razor in cutting his throat. A trustie called Constable Andrew Grant, officer in charge at King of Siam Honors Friends and the station at the time, and first aid was immediately administered to check the flow of blood. Dr. J. H. Carson was called and Suchet was! removed to the Prince Rupert Gen- King of Siam has commemorated eral Hospital.

would probably recover.

Election For President In Germany Soon

BERLIN, Jan. 12:-An extension; of the term of office of President, The following British Columbia von Hinderberg is not now expected mayors were elected by acclamato be granted by the Riechstag. A tion Monday: presidential election in the near future must be expected, it was authoritively stated here yesterday.

Rovers Invested at Ceremony Last Night

At a meeting of Prince Rupert Rovers last night four members of Bessborough Patrol-Gordon Williscroft, Charles Hickey, Allan Davies and Duncan Miller-were invested as full-fledged rovers. The investiture ceremony was conducted by S. P. Woodside, who was assisted by P. C. Miller.

* WASHINGTON PASSES RECONSTRUCTION BILL 4

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 12:- 4 the Prince Rupert General Hospi-The United States Senate last + tal to Dr. and Mrs. R. G. Large, ₱ night passed the \$2,000,000,000 ₱ Atlin Ave., Westview. * reconstruction corporation bill. * The measure is President Hoo- + Olof Hanson, M.P. for Skeena. ver's panacea to remedy the + returned to the city on this morn- wind; heavy westerly swell. * present depression.

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MAY HAVE AUTONOMY

Self-Government Is Offered to Burma With Certain Safeguards

LONDON, Jan. 12:-Premier J. Ramsay MacDonald, at the close of the Burma round table conference today, offered Burma self-government tempered with safeguards. For some time Burma has been seeking self-government separate from India and the conference just ended was held to discuss claims along this line.

IS DEAD

Capt. Irwin Sanburn, Veteran Navigator of Various Rivers, Passes In Portland

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 12:—Capt. Irwin Sanburn, aged 82, was buried here yesterday. For 55 years he had navigated the Columbia, Willamette. East Kootenay and Yukon

Elect Officers

teresting Reports Were Received

Officers were elected and encouraging reports received at the meeting of the congregation of the First Presbyterian Church held last Is Expressed night. Rev. W. D. Grant Hollingtically of the work. The officers

BANGKOK, Siam, Jan. 12:-The W. C. O'Neill.

Congregational secretary-W. W. his visit to the United States and C. O'Neill.

Canada last year by conferring the

Grand Cross of the Order of the Foote White Elephant upon many friends Board of Managers-T. McClyand acquaintances he made during mont, D. McKenzie, A. McKenzie, . Hadden, H. M. Foote, Mrs. J. Simpson, Mrs. W. L. Sandison and Various five additional members to be el-Mayors Elected

Trustees-A. M. Manson K.C.,

PATTERSON

Mayor of Prince George Not to Receive Acclamation Which Was Expected

PRINCE GEORGE, Jan. 12-Contrary to the general expectation necessary if they hope to get fair that Mayor A. M. Patterson would returns for their products. be re-elected chief magistrate by VANCOUVER, Jan. 12— Wheat acclamation this year, there is to be was quoted at 61%c. on the local a contest for the mayor's chair. Ald. C. C. Reid was yesterday nomina- & RUSSIA MAY BUY ted to oppose the return of Mayor Patterson.

A son was born this morning at WEATHER REPORT

northerly wind; heavy swell. + ing's train from a brief trip to Dead Tree Point-Clear, light + gress. * Smithers in connection with his northwest wind; barometer, 30.06; * temperature, 38; light chop.

Another Baseball Prospect



Tony Lazzeri, New York Yankee infielder, hopes his young son, David Anthony, seen here with Mrs. Lazzeri, will follow in dad's baseball footsteps. But the baby so far is indifferent.

Book Circulation at Library Last Year Greatly Increased; Borrowers' List is Greater the division for taxation, court and

That the circulation of books at the Prince Rupert Pub- at the 125th Meridian at Endako. worth presided and spoke optimis- lic Library had increased in 1931 to 74,109 volumes from which is the natural point of divithe 58,838 volumes loaned in 1930 and that the number of sion between the area tributary to follow:
Session—Rev. W. D. Grant Hollingworth, moderator, J. W. McKin-lingworth, moderator, J. W. McKin-lingworth and that the fitting and that tributary to borrowers had increased from 3,209 in 1930 to 3,493 in Prince George. The boundary between land recording divisions is robbed about a month ago was re-

C. O'Neill.
Congregational Treasurer—H. M. TROLLERS

Matters Discussed by Hippo Islard Branch of N. B.C.F.D.

QUEEN CHARLOTTE, Jan. 12-The appointment of assistant The trollers of the Hippo unit of treasurer was left to the board of the Northern B. C. Fishermen's Association held their annual meeting recently. Marketing and prices for next year's salmon were dealt with.

It was agreed also, that the last IS OPPOSED year's strike was not a financial success. The policy was at least the means of bringing into being a halibut branch. It strengthened the gill netters and other unions are preparing to join forces.

Fishermen see that a closer association in the fishing industry is

* asked for a statement in re- * + gard to reports that Soviet + & Russia was negotiating for the & + purchase of \$5.000,000 worth + Langara Island-Clear, moderate & of aluminum in Canada, Ray &

ley, D. B. McDougall, S. Massey, W. nual report of the librarian at the final meeting of the the watershed between the Skeena

night. Miss Cruikshank was com- Lake. plimented on the excellent work "But for electoral purposes Bulkdone during the year, especially at ley Valley is now divided between Small Fire Visits MEETING a time when library facilities were Skeena and Omineca Electoral so needful owing to many people Districts. This creates an imposany other manner than from read-ministration, under which that at 2:50 yesterday afternoon to the

lowing classification of the books dred miles away, instead of the of-

"Fiction	66.
"Philosophy 276	
"Religion 218	
"Sociology 374	
"Language 51	
"Science 344	
"Useful Arts 940	1
"Fine Arts 433	
"Literature 1,017	1
"Travel 2,578	3
"Biography	
"History 1.261	1
"Juvenile17,151	23

"Total The report follows:

Arts and Science "The addition of the new stack

for fine arts and science has af-ALUMINUM HERE & forded great relief in shelving, but MONTREAL, Jan. 12.-When + it has encroached considerably (continued on page six)

Card of Thanks

♣ Powell, vice-president of the ♣ The family of the late Mrs. J. Triple Island-Clear, northwest & Aluminum Co. of Canada, said & Ross wish to thank their many + that negotiations were in pro- + friends for the kind expressions of sympathy and floral tributes re-+ ceived during their recent bei-

THE RELATION OF THE PARTY OF TH

Interior Trade Board Objects At Division Of Valley at Present

Low

Would Combine Thanksgiving and Remembrance Day on November 11—Charles E. Morris Elected President Last Night at Annual Meeting

SMITHERS, Jan. 12:—The Smithers District Board of Trade, at its annual meeting here last night, passed a resolution urging that the provincial government, in effecting redistribution of electoral seats, include the entire Bulkley Valley in one seat instead of cutting the district down the centre with easterly and westerly divisions as is now the case. The resolution to this

effect was moved by L. S. McGill, meeting urged that Thanksgiving seconded by L. B. Warner and pas- and Remembrance Days should be sed with but one dissenting voice. observed on one day and that that

"That this Smithers District sary of the Armistice which brought Chamber of Commerce, represent- the Great War to a close. trict from Seaton to Rose Lake, now the coming year as follows: assembled in annual general meet- President, Charles E. Morris. government the necessity for alter- rill. districts in this part of the pro-, hews.

deorge and is one in its interests McKenzie and J. P. Downie. and in commercial and industrial activities. For all purposes save lost MONEY elections and public works it is administered as a unit from the government offices established in Smithers. The county boundary line, deral electoral district boundary, is

being unable to find recreation in sible situation for public works adpart of our district from Hubert to That part of the erport dealing Rose Lake is under the direction of with circulation contained the fol- the Prince George office, two hunfice at Smithers, to which it is immediately tributary. At the same time the coast sections of Skeena the wall by the fire which was ex-Electoral District, from Port Essington to Swanson Bay, are under the Smithers office, some three hun-07 dred miles distant and completely ag out of touch with them.

"To remedy this anomalous si-60 tuation, which is against business-37 like administration and sound com- + SKIDEGATE, Jan. 12 - It + 49 mon sense, we urge that in the + has been reported that a rich + 63 coming redistribution the eastern +silver strike has been made + 71 boundary of this electoral district + near Lagoon Hay on Moresby + 07 be established at the 125th Meridian & Island. For vients many proat Endako or the 126th Meridian + spectors have persistently + at Rose Lake, with compensating & hunted for the famous lost & adjustment to maintain equality of & silver mine there. The showpopulation by cutting off the coast | + ing was first discovered over + districts having nothing in common | fifty years ago. with the interior."

The resolution was as follows: day be November 11, the anniver-

ing the whole Bulkley Valley Dis- The Board elected officers for

ing, do urge upon the provincial Vice-president, Frank M. Dock-

ing the present division of electoral Secretary-treasurer, H. M. Mat-Council H. F. Noel, J. B. Warner,

"Bulkley Valley District is the S. S. Phillips, T. J. Thorpe, B. M. most populous single community Hopps, Charles Reid, L. S. McGil., between Prince Rupert and Prince Dr. R. C. Bamford, H. G. Olsen, John

RECOVERED

many other purposes, and the fe- Sum of \$5,000 Stolen From Frisco Offices Found--Four Men Under Arrest

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 12:-A covered yesterday and four men present library board held last and Fraser River basins at Rose, are under arrest charged with receiving stolen goods.

Eighth Ave. House

The fire department had a call house at 629 Eighth Avenue West, lowned by Silas Rea and occupied by Dennis Lucas, where there was a fire in the wall caused by a blank chimney hole being plugged with wood Minor damage was done to tinguished by ase of chemicals.

4FAMOUS LOST MINE IS BELIEVED FOUND 4

ANNUAL MEETING .

Prince Rupert Liberal Association

Eagles' Hall—Above DeJong's Cash & Carry Wednesday at 8:15 p.m.

T. D. Pattullo will give an address