

Tomorrow's Tides

High 2:58 a.m. 20.4
15:10 p.m. 21
Low 9:06 a.m. 3.1
21:38 p.m. 3.1

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Today's Weather

Prince Rupert—Clear, light northerly wind; barometer, 30.06; temperature, 64; sea smooth.

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BODY MYSTERY BEING CLEARED UP

HIS POLITICAL FUTURE MATTER FOR ELECTORS---TOLMIE

Vancouver Id. Rancher Says He Put Covering Back on Crofton Well

Police Investigation Assisted by Evidence Given at Inquest Which Has Been Adjourned Until Pathological Testimony Can be Prepared

VICTORIA, Sept. 6: (CP)—Charles Eccleston, sheep rancher, who discovered the body of Maude Lilley in an abandoned well near Crofton last week, cleared up the most baffling phase of the investigation for the police at the inquest into the woman's death at Duncan last night when he testified that he had found the planks over the well out of place and had put them back. He had not remembered this before, he stated.

In view of the well having been covered over with the planking it was at first believed by the police that there might have been foul play. Tied to the woman's wrist was her suitcase. The body was at first believed to have been that of a Miss B. Brown of Vancouver but was later established to have been that of Maude Lilley. The inquest has been adjourned until September 18 when pathological evidence will be submitted.

In Trouble



Jean A. Dann of Florida was rescued as shipwreck victim in Gulf of Mexico hurricane, then arrested on charges of smuggling narcotics. He's getting over the hurricane first.

REAR-END COLLISION

Fourteen Persons Were Killed in Crash Near Binghamton, N. Y., Yesterday

BINGHAMTON, N.Y., Sept. 6: (CP)—Fourteen persons were killed and more than a score injured when a milk train crashed into the rear end of a fast Erie passenger train which was standing at a siding near here last night. The passenger train was bound from Chicago to New York. The engine of the milk train telescoped the two rear coaches of the passenger.

VERMONT GOES WET

Twenty-Fifth State of Union to Reject Prohibition—Arizona Convention

MONTPLAIEUR, Vermont, Sept. 6: (CP)—Vermont became the twenty-fifth state of the Union last night to vote in favor of repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment, early returns indicating a popular vote of more than two to one against the national prohibition law. Last night's tabulation showed a vote approximating 39,000 for repeal and 18,000 against.

PHOENIX, Ariz., Sept. 6:—Arizona became the twenty-first state of the Union to officially reject the Eighteenth Amendment yesterday when delegates in convention here cast a unanimous vote in favor of repeal.

TORIES ARE 'NON-PARTY'

Courtenay Conservatives Say They Do Not Want Continuation of Present Plan

COURTENAY, Sept. 6:—A meeting of former Conservatives here yesterday voted unanimously against continuation of party politics in British Columbia and urged that a non-party plan be sought.

Many at Work on Nickel Mines in Province of B. C.

VANCOUVER, Sept. 6:—There are two hundred men at work on nickel development work in the province of British Columbia, it is stated in mining circles here.

Halibut Arrivals

American—138,500 pounds, 6.5c and 4c to 7c and 4c. Canadian—None.

NEW YORK, Sept. 5:—The British pound sterling closed at \$4.54 3/4 on the local foreign exchange Saturday. The Canadian dollar closed at 95 1/2c. Yesterday the pound closed at \$4.56 1/2 and the dollar at 95 1/2c.

Fight Sleeping Sickness



Spurred into action by deaths of 75 persons, physicians of St. Louis and variety banded together for a determined fight against the spread of an epidemic of sleeping sickness, which had stricken over 200 persons within less than a month. The picture shows one of the victims, L. Hagan, being attended by staff physicians at a St. Louis hospital. They are: Dr. W. G. Patton, Dr. S. J. Hiller, Dr. R. F. Higgins, and Dr. T. R. Usher.

More Deaths From Sleeping Sickness

Epidemic is Continuing to Spread in St. Louis—200 Cases Under Treatment Now

ST. LOUIS, September 6:—It was officially announced Monday night that there had been ten more deaths during the preceding thirty-six hours as a result of the epidemic of sleeping sickness which is continuing to spread in this city and district. So far there have been seventy-five deaths and a total of more than 500 cases. There are still two hundred cases under treatment. Federal government experts have reached the city to conduct investigations into the matter which it is believed by some local doctors may be spread by insects.

Veteran Employee Of Telegraphs is Victim of Attack

VANCOUVER, Sept. 6: (CP)—W. A. Jamieson, aged 61, assistant chief operator and veteran Canadian Pacific Railway Telegraphs employee, died of heart failure here yesterday.

TRAIN LATE LAST NIGHT

Delayed by traffic along the line, last evening's mixed train was one hour and thirty minutes late, coming in at 11:30 p.m.

FEWER UNEMPLOYED IN GREAT BRITAIN

LONDON, Sept. 6:—The number of unemployed in Great Britain decreased by 31,038 in the month between July 21 and August 21, it was officially announced yesterday. The total number of unemployed in the country on August 21 was 2,411,000.

Great Industrial Expansion Likely

Canada's Duty to See That Equipment Keeps Pace With Development

MONTREAL, Sept. 6:—Lord McMillan stated here yesterday that "it will be Canada's part to see that equipment keeps pace with development. I expect a great industrial expansion soon."

MANY DIE IN STORM

Results of Hurricane in Texas at Week-End More Serious Than Anticipated

EDINBURG, Texas, Sept. 6: (CP)—At least 32 persons perished in the lower Texas Rio Grande valley, some 1500 were injured and some million dollars of damage was done to property as a result of the tropical hurricane, it was indicated last night as interrupted telegraphic and telephone communications were resumed following the disastrous storm which swept in from the West Indies and the Gulf of Mexico on Monday and Tuesday. There was also extensive damage and considerable loss of life across the international line in Mexico.

BIRTHDAY OF LOS ANGELES

Great California City Celebrates 152nd Anniversary of Its Founding

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 6:—The city of Los Angeles on Monday observed the 152nd anniversary of its founding. On September 4, 1781, eleven families arrived to settle here, forming the nucleus of what is today the greatest city on the Pacific Coast of America with a population of 1,281,000 persons.

Premier Denies He is Planning to Take Job In Ottawa Department

People of British Columbia and Not Press Will Decide His Retirement as Head of Provincial Government, Questioning Scribes Are Told

VICTORIA, Sept. 6: (CP)—"My retirement from the premiership is a question for the electors and not for the press," declared Premier S. F. Tolmie yesterday when questioned regarding current reports of his political intentions. "The report that I am about to accept a post in the federal department of agriculture is just another one of those falsehoods that I have been compelled to deny recently," Dr. Tolmie added.

LINDBERGH'S LEADER IS IN SWEDEN B. C. NEED

Famous American Airman and Wife Arrive in Stockholm From Copenhagen

STOCKHOLM, Sweden, Sept. 6:—Col. and Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh landed here Monday from Copenhagen, Denmark, where they have been spending a few days following a trans-Atlantic flight. It is understood that the famous American airman and his wife will fly on their return across the Atlantic Ocean via Spain and the Azores Islands.

Butler Hotel in Seattle Closes

Long Popular Hostelry in Lower Part of Puget Sound City Is Through

SEATTLE, Sept. 6:—The Butler Hotel at Second Avenue and James Street, for half a century one of this city's leading hostels, closed its doors yesterday. Guests vacated last week and all is quiet now with the sole occupant one watchman. The management announced that it could no longer operate successfully in that part of the city.

Viscount Grey Sinking Fast

Elder British Statesman Unconscious Now With Condition Reported Very Critical

LONDON, Sept. 6:—The condition of Viscount Grey of Falloden, who has lost consciousness, was announced by his physicians yesterday to be very critical. Little hope is now held out for a favorable turn in the condition of the great elder British statesman.

NEW JUDGES FOR THIS PROVINCE ARE NAMED

OTTAWA, Sept. 6: (CP)—W. G. McQuarrie, former M.P. for New Westminster, has been appointed to the British Columbia Court of Appeal and H. B. Robertson K.C. of Vancouver has been appointed to the Supreme Court.

Wife of Famous Movie Director Severely Burned

HOLLYWOOD, Sept. 6:—It is announced by physicians that Mrs. Velerie von Stroheim, wife of Eric von Stroheim, famous German motion picture director and former actor, will probably recover from severe burns which she sustained when a machine with which she was being given a dry shampoo caught fire in a local hair dressing establishment.

Philharmonic Choir Resumes Practices

First Presentation of Coming Season Will be Operetta "A Tale Of Old Japan"

The Prince Rupert Philharmonic Society held its first practice of the season last night in the Elks' Home, there being a good turnout of active members. It has been decided that the first presentation of the coming winter season will be the Coleridge-Taylor operetta "A Tale of Old Japan" which will be put on during the first week in December. Only private concerts for associate members will be held this winter.

Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Johnston, Inverness Cannery, announce the engagement of their elder daughter, Reta Beatrice, to Mr. John Durran of Prince Rupert, the marriage to take place on October 12 at St. Andrew's Cathedral.

Vancouver Stocks

Table listing various stocks and their prices, including Vancouver, Toronto, and Oils.

Italy to Honor Famous Airman

Premier Mussolini Orders That National Honors be Accorded De Pinedo

NEW YORK, Sept. 6:—A cablegram received here at the end of the week from Premier Benito Mussolini ordered that Italian national honors be accorded General Francesco de Pinedo, famous Italian aviator, who was burned to death here on Saturday when his plane overturned at Floyd Bennett Field as he was attempting to take off on a trans-Atlantic flight to Bagdad.

Sixty Thousand School Children In Seattle City

SEATTLE, Sept. 6:—Between 59,000 and 60,000 children resumed their studies in this city today when school re-opened following the summer vacation.

Pound Sterling and Canadian Dollar on New York Exchange

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