### Tomorrow's Tides

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# CABINET CHANGE IS NOT IMPORTANT

## UNITED STATES' SENATE COMMITTEE CONTINUES PROBE

### Tolmie Takes Farms and Hinchcliffe Has Become New Minister of Lands

Had Expected That Ministerial Changes at Victoria Would Have Been Much More Extensive Than They Have Turned Out to Be

VICTORIA, June 1: (Canadian Press)-With Hon. W. C. Shelly, President of the Council, Hon. William Atkinson, minister of agriculture, and Hon. Nelson S. Lougheed, minister of lands, retiring last night, Premier S. F. Tolmie this morning took over the department of agriculture while Hon. Joshua Hinchliffe, besides his own portfolio of edu-

ON ISLANDS

Being Done There and Possi-

bilities For Future Activity

Men Going Over

to a number of points there. He

states that a crew of five men is go-

work there for the company. Some

island men are also to be employed

ded from E. C. Stevens of Skidegate.

is also a prospect of activity at

Cumshewa Inlet this summer, a

bond having been taken on the Ste-

making good. The operations are

south of Tow Hill and several men.

As a result of suggestions made

by Dr. Mandy, several residents are

putting in outfits for cutting and

polishing the agates found on the

east coast of Graham Island. Some

excellent. He thinks this may de-

vens property there.

cation, assumes responsibility for the lands department. Both minis-ters were sworn into their new du-ties at Government House and these ACTIVITY changes were the only one that were made in the personnel of the cabinet. It had been originally ex-Dr. Mandy Quite Pleased With Work pected that the changes would be much more extensive than they have turned out to be.

Excellent Showing I and a by Local Nurses in R. N. Tests-Miss A. Walker Second in Province

Word was received this morning by Miss Jean Harrison R.N., lady superintendent of the Prince Rupert | Mines Ltd. (J. B. Hawkins & Co. of General Hospital, of the outstanding success of five candidates from the local nurses' training school who tried recent examinations for qualification as Registered Nurses.

Three of the local candidates passed in Class One with marks of 80% or over, these being Miss Annie M. Walker, who passed second in the province, and the Misses Bernice and Oral Ross.

Miss Edna Carpenter and Miss Louise Lindseth, also members of the local training school, passed with standing of over 65%.

Miss Winnifred Bunn, who took her first two years training at Port | Skidegate. Simpson General Hospital and the last year at Vancouver General Hospital, also passed with standing of over 65%.

All six young ladies, who recently had their graduating exercises here, will receive the hearty congratulations of many friends on the fine success they have achieved in the

### BALANCE IS FAVORABLE are also washing gold on a creek on Massett Inlet and doing fairly well.

Canada's Exports in 1932 Exceeded Imports By \$72,000,000, It Is Announced

of the stones have been sent away OTTAWA, June 1: (Canadian Press)-Canada's net export bal- for polishing and the results are ance for 1932 was yesterday announced to have been \$633,000,000 velop into a little industry which exclusive of capital movement's. would be advantageous to the set-This represents an excess over imports of \$72,000,000.

POLICE COURT FINES AWAY DOWN THIS YEAR

during the month of May this Anchor and Bottle Harbor groups of year amounted to only \$55 as com- free milling gold claims which were pared with \$175 in the same month recently staked by E. C. Stevens and last year. So far this year fines associates. One of the veins on the have totalled \$381 as against \$1 .- Bottle Harbor group is eighty feet 135 in the first five months of wide and can be traced for 1500 feet 1932.

### As Flames Rampaged Through Maine Town



Here is a spectacular photo of the disastrous fire that ravaged the town of Auburn, Me., doing nearly \$3,000,000 worth of damage and rendering hundreds homeless. The photo, made from the air, gives a general view of the conflagration at its height, as the flames swept a two-mile area.

### The Queen Charlotte Islands are getting quite busy according to Dr. FIRE LOSS J. T. Mandy, resident mining en-WAS HEAVY returned home from an official visit

ing over on the Prince John this Destruction in City During May Halibut Business of Port For May Local Meeting Expresses Indignaweek to work for the Haida Gold Amounted to Some \$8,000, Due Largely to Hotel Blaze Vancouver) on the Prince Rupert

group at Kootenay Harbor. A. J. Ingraham will have charge of the city fire department responded to Prince Rupert for the month of May the keynote of a mass meeting of nine alarms, this being the same this year aggregated 1,718,000 the Unemployed Councils held last number as in May 1932. So far this pounds as compared with 1,678,000 night in the Canadian Labor Deon the work. Dr. Mandy is well year, there have been a total of 46 pounds in the same month last year. fence League Hall. The subject unpleased with the prospects at that calls as compared with 35 in the American landings this May, total- der discussion was the threat of the property which was recently bonfirst five months of 1932.

The deal for the Gold Harbor was rather more extensive than pounds while Canadian landings ture and to take men into camps for property was not quite settled when usual, due to the destruction of the this May were 807,000 pounds of the performance of road work at 20c Dr. Mandy was there. W. G. McMor-Seal Cove Hotel which was valued at nearly double 498,000 pounds in the per day in addition to food and ris, managing director of the Kitabout \$8000. There was also some same month last year. sault Eagle Gold Mining Co., is ne-\$20 damage to the roof of the home gotiating the deal, the property beof J. F. Feasby on Green Street. LESS SUN: ing controlled by A. J. Gordon of The resident engineer says there

### Today's Stocks

Supplied by S. D. Johnston Cc. Ltd.

In regard to the black sands on Graham Island, Dr. Mandy says a Toronto Int. Nickel, 17.30. number of men are washing gold Noranda, 33.50. and making fair wages. Most of Sherritt Gordon, 1.49. them seem quite satisfied. He says B.R.X. Gold, .57. that those who work seem to be

> Vancouver Big Missouri, .33. Bridge River Cons., .52. Georgia River, .09 1/2. Lucky Jim, .06. Noble Five, .19. National Silver, .08. N...Jla, .81. Native Son. .13. Meridian, .60. Porter Idaho, .15. Premier, 1.00. Pend Oreille, 1.70. Reeves McDonald, .42.

Reward, .18.

Wayside, .54.

A. P. Con., .21.

Calmont, .10.

Mercury, .13.

Fabyan, .00%.

Freehold, .081/2.

Silver Crest, .07.

Whitewater, 1434.

C. & E. Corp., .76.

Sterling Pacific, .33.

Reno, 2.00.

tlers and would interest tourists. A number of prospectors are busy on the islands and a good many claims have been staked but no work done on them so far.

While at Skidegate, Dr. Mandy Police court fines for this city looked over the Security, Golden on the mountain side.

## INCREASE

This Year Showed Gain Over 1932

During the month of May the Halibut landings at the port of new government relief plans was ling 909,000 pounds, were consider- authorities to further reduce and Associated Boards Fire damage in the city this May ably below last year's 1,180,000 cut off direct relief in the near fu-

Weather Summary For Month of May Announced-Temperature Little Different Than Last Year

Prince Rupert had a total of 100.5 hours of sunshine during the month of May this year as compared with chair. 138.4 hours in the same month last year. There was slightly less rain at REVENUE 5.25 inches this May than in May REVENUE 1932 for which 5.9 inches was recorded. From a temperature standpoint, this May was little different than last, the maximum reading for the month this year having been 62 above as compared with a maximum Customs and Excise Collections of 65 last year while this May's minimum was 36 as against last May's

this year, as announced by R. G. port of Prince Rupert for the Emmerson, Digby Island, Dominion month of May this year, while not meteorologist, was as follows:

level, 30.28 on May 10. level, 29.54 on May 1.

Minimum temperature, 36 on May

Mean temperature, 48.2. Total precipitation, 5.25 inches. Total sunshine, 100.5 hours.

### PLANS ARE PROTESTED

tion at Latest Relief Plan

Indignation against the proposed

The sentiment of the meeting was unanimous that nothing but a flat refusal to the camp proposition will meet the case and the Prince Ruco-operation of other organized la-

Kenneth Montgomery occupied the sented.

Here Maintaining Marked Lead Over Last Year

The weather summary for May Customs and excise revenue at the heavy at a total of \$9,950.17, never-High barometer reading at sea theless exceeded the \$8,093.37 collected in the same month last year Low barometer reading at sea So far this calendar year, the revenue has amounted to \$68,234.86 as Maximum temperature, 62 on May against \$48,692.97 in the first five months of 1932.

> H. F. Pullen left on last night's train for a trip to Prince George and other interior points. He expects to be away about two weeks.

## Morgans Could Have Cleaned Up Quarter of Billion In 1929

This Would Have Been Profit Had Securities Received For Forming United Corporation, Utilities Holding Concern, Been Sold Out

WASHINGTON, D.C., June 1: (Canadian Press)-Pocential profit of \$122,000,000 for the J. P. Morgan Co. in 1929 if it had sold securities received for forming the United Corporation, a utilities stock holding concern, was outlined today before the Senate finance committee which is investigating the activities of major banking organizations of the country. George Whitney, partner in the firm, admitted that this was correct.

### LOADING IS PROCEEDING

TOOK HIS OWN LIFE

Sacramento Valley Expected to Sail Body of Emil Wikstrom, Well Known With Wheat Cargo About End of Week

Loading of the British steamer the United Kingdom or Continent is now proceeding and the vessel is

Saturday. this summer.

## To Convene August that time ago that he took his own

Month Tentatively Approved For Meeting at Smithers

pert unemployed will ask for the been tentatively decided upon for the heart, a stick being used to rethe holding of the annual conven- lease the trigger after the weapon tion of the Associated Boards of had been put in place. Death is be-A signed resolution in protest will Trade of Central British Columbia lieved to have been instantaneous. be sent to Ottawa and the various at Smithers. These dates are ac- Wickstrom was 53 years of age labor organiationsz will be ap- ceptable to both Smithers and and a Norwegian by birth, having proached for their endorsation and Prince Rupert and are also expectaken out Canadian naturalization ted to be approved by other centres in 1914. He was a single man and The meeting was well attended. in the district which will be repre- was very well known in the Skeena

### Today's Weather

Prince Rupert-Raining, strong outheast wind; barometer, 29.92; temperature, 46; sea smooth.

temperature, 48; heavy swell. gale; sea rough.

Langara Island—Raining, light southeast wind; sea choppy. Terrace-Cloudy, southeast wind, temperature 46.

Aiyansh-Raining, calm. 45. Anyox-Raining, calm, 50. Stewart-Raining, calm, 47. Hazelton-Cloudy, calm, 49. Smithers-Cloudy, calm, 45. Burns Lake-Windy, cloudy, 44.

American Eureka, 6,000 pounds, no sale. Fisherman, Found at Port Edward With Bullet in Heart

Provincial police officers returned Sacramento Valley at the local ele- to the city yesterday afternoon on vator with a full cargo of grain for board the departmental cruiser P. M. L. 8, bringing in the body of Emil expected to be ready to sail on Wikstrom, well known salmon fisherman of some twenty-three or Officials of the Alberta Wheat | wenty-four years' standing in this Pool who are now here from Van- district, whose body was found in a couver have no announcement to cannery cabin at Port Edward make as to the future intentions of where he had shot himself about the Pool in regard to the local two weeks ago. A passer-by had house, the lease on which expires seen the body lying on the bed in the cabin which Wikstrom occupied and the police proceeded at once to investigate. Wikstrom had not been seen for about two weeks and it is believed to have been about

An inquiry held by Coroner Nor-Third and Fourth Days of That man A. Watt established the fact that death was due to suicide. Deceased had shot himself with a 30-30 rifle which was found lying be-The dates of August 3 and 4 have side him. A bullet had gone through

River district.

The B. C. Undertakers are in charge of funeral arrangements.

H. F. MacLeod former court and land registrar here, who was recently superannuated, will leave on to-Dead Tree Point-Cloudy, fresh morrow night's train for a trip to southerly wind; barometer, 29.82; the Lethbridge district in Alberta where he will visit with relatives. Triple Island-Raining, southerly He expects to be away from the city about a month.

> \* COPPER STRONG ON NEW YORK MARKET

NEW YORK, June 1: (Cana- 4 + dian Press)-Copper advanced + + to 7%c per pound on the local + · metal market this morning · \* with sales to Europe reported \* + at 8c per pound. Silver fell back + \* slightly, closing at 34%c.