

e Daily Aews

NORTHERN AND CENTRAL BRITISH COLUMBIA'S NEWSPAPER

Tomorrow's Tides

3:50 a.m. 20.2 ft. 16:30 p.m. 17.2 ft. 10:33 a.m. 4.9 ft. 22:28 p.m. 7.4 ft.

PRICE: FIVE CENTS

PRINCE RUPERT, B.C., MONDAY, MARCH 5, 1934 Vol. XXIV., No. 54

RUSSIAN PRINCESS WINS LIBEL SUIT

BANK ACT HAVING STORMY PASSAGE THROUGH COMMONS

New Fiscal Institution For Canada Subjected to Progressive Attack

Plan of Minister of Finance For Speedy Second Reading Is Upset-Ultimate Approval of Legislation is Assured With Some Liberals in Accord

OTTAWA, March 5:-Progressive and Co-operative Commonwealth Federation members of Parliament are continuing a concerted attack upon the government's Bank Act amendments designed to provide for the establishment of a central bank for Canada along the lines set out in the recommendations of the Macmillan Royal Com-

JURY HAS CASE NOW

Fish Trap Larceny Trial Says He Was Threatened -One of Defendants Explains How He Got

dian Press) - The government's case against four men who are alleged to have stolen three thousand fish from a salmon trap of Libby, McNeill & Libby in Alaskan waters last year, was ended after R. Nerland, watchman, testified that he had been threatened August Starkloff, one of the de fendants, after the alleged theft

took place. hiapo, W. F. Cummings and James E. Nimmo, the last-mentioned a

Canadian from Nanaimo. On the stand Starloff testified by seining.

The case is now before the jury.

BODY AT provincial police. STEWART George Ferguson

Dan McDonald Found to Have Succumbed to Heart Failure on Big Missouri Trail

Provincial Constable Lance Potterton and Dr. J. W. Vosburgh, coroner, have returned to Stewart NELSON, March 5:-George Ferruary 27 on the Big Missouri trail. here. Last week district headquarters of, the provincial police here were advised of the finding of McDonald's Was Collector Of

The coroner conducted an inquiry and found that death was due to heart failure, no inquest being ne-

McDonald's only known relative is a sister, Mrs. May Carmichael of Munroe Point, N.S.

+ LONDON SILVER PACT APPROVED BY CHINA

NANKING, March 5: (CP) - 4 * The Chinese Nationalist gov- * + ernment has ratified the Lon- + + don silver agreement provid- + • ing for a stabilization of price • • of the white metal. China uses • * silver as its principal currency. *

While there is no question of the legislation being ultmately passed by the House, several Lberals having already expressed themselves as being in accord with its general terms in addition to the government majority, the attack of the Progressives, which was led last week by G. G. Coote, United Farmer of Alberta member for Macleod, Alta., has upset the plan of Hon. Edgar N. Rhodes, minister of finance, who had asked the House to give the amendments second reading without delay so that they could go to the committee on banking and currency for consideration. The Liberals had been ready to

CALGARY MAN WAS DROWNED

Other defendants are Eddie Ke- Victor Bennett Lost His Life Near Invermere While Crossing Placer Mining Flume

that his vessel had been found tor Bennett. Calgary businessman, alongside the trap because of en- being head of the Bennett & White Capt. George Fritz, came in this + that unemployment is + gine trouble and that the fish he Construction Co., was drowned at morning with a short catch of 4,500 + down in all divisions of Creek, outside of Windermere, B.C., when a plank on which he was and 4c was declined and the Mar- of industry reporting crossing a placer mining flume gave away, according to advices to the

bably be on Wednesday.

Well Known Business Man and per pound. Hockey Supporter of Southern Interior Town Passes

with the body of Dan McDonald, guson, aged 74, well known business diamond drill man, who died Feb- man and hockey supporter, is dead

Customs For Years

Away at Age of 70 Years

NANAIMO, March 5: (CP)- returning to the camps. Henry L. Good, former customs collector here for many years. is dead Los Angeles Gas at the age of 70 years. at the age of 70 years.

Today's Weather

Terrace-Clear, east wind, 20. Aiyansh-Clear, calm, 16. Anyox-Clear, calm, 24. Stewart-Clear, calm, 23. Hazelton-Clear, calm, 10. + cold.

• • • • • • • • • Burns Lake—Bright, calm, -3.

Arabs Causing British Trouble in Palestine



Arab demonstrators gathered in streets of Jerusalem to protest against the government policy as regards the migration of Jews into the Holy Land. In a peaceful meeting the demonstrators marched from the Mosque of Omar to the Zion Gate of the Ola City enlinsting aid in their cause.

FISH PRICE IS REFUSED:

Margaret I Refuses 6c and 4c For 4.500 Pounds and is Holding Over Until Wednesday

Having broken a propeller blade, the local halibut boat Margaret I, + of Labor tonight show + pounds which was offered for sale on the Fish Exchange. A bid of 6c the country, all classes garet I is holding over the catch an improvement. until the next sale which will pro-

Green Bros. of Port Simpson were in Saturday with 1000 pounds of halibut which they disposed of to local retail stores.

Johnny Auckland of Metlakatla Of Nelson Dead sold 500 pounds of halibut at the week-end to Bacon Fisheries at 6c

MEN BACK IN CAMPS

Strike Among Relief Workers In Nelson District Was Ended Last Week

Press)-The strike of some one Henry L. Good of Nanaimo Passes three hundred men in relief camps of this vicinity has been practically ended with the most of the men

Price is Reduced + MANCHUKUO TO TAKE

2c Per Gallon in All Grades

Union Oil Co. announces a cut of 4 in Manchukuo on long-term 4 next lecture will be held this Wed- which swept through the business 4 thawing weather has also 4 2c per gallon in gasoline prices to 4 French credit basis was signed 4 nesday evening. There was a good section of St. Paul, 125 miles north- 4 caused flood conditions in the 4 Smithers—Part cloudy, calm, 13c, 141/4c and 171/2c per gallon ac- + yesterday. cording to grade. Other companies, +

* IMPROVEMENT CONTINUING IN BRITAIN

LONDON, March 5: * * (CP)—Great Britain's * * industrial recovery still * * swings ahead. Figures * * issued by the Ministry *

France Cannot Approve German Rearmament Unless Hitler Promises Limit Observance

French cabinet has decided that the probably fly American planes. request of Chancellor Adolf Hitler surances are given that new armament limits shall be observed. Great Britain will be asked to come to the defence of France if Germany should break such an agreement.

BEING SENT TO ALASKA

Famous Soviet Airmen May Institute Rescue Operations From This End For People On Bering Ice Floes

Press)-Three of Soviet Russia's foremost Arctic flyers are enroute + to the United States on the liner Baron Sempill Succumbs to Injuries + Olympic to participate, if necessary, in the rescue of 110 persons stranded on ice floes in Being Sea. The pilots, who may work from Alaska, are S. A. Levenevsky, who flew to the aid of the American round-the-world flyer, James Mattern, last summer, G. A. Yshakov and M. Slepnev.

Sovet airplanes, steamers and dog teams have been attempting to rescue the stranded party from Bering Sea ever since their ship. the Cheliuskin, sank.

As they were on ther way back from Wrangel Island, the fliers were ordered to proceed to Washington and await instructions there it is announced. They did not take Hon. Lawrence Alexander Wilson their machines with them but will;

of Germany for re-armament can-not be accepted unless adequate as- Mining Lectures In

Interest Being Well Sustained in Weekly Classes By Dr. Mandy, Resident Engineer

Interest is being well sustained WAS SWEPT in the weekly lectures being conducted by Dr. Joseph T. Mandy, re-GOODS FROM FRANCE + sident mining engineer, for persons " interested in mining and prospect-Union Oil Co. Makes Reduction of + TOKYO, March 5: (CP) - + ing. Practical aspects of mineral- Damage of \$85,000 Done by Fire at + River were last night threa-A Contract for organizing a + ogy and geology are now being ta- St. Paul in Northern Alberta + tening the National Capital of + + Franco - Japanese syndicate + ken up including the determinait is expected, will follow suit.

Moving Picture Firm Loses Out In Damage Case Heard in London

Judgment of Twenty Thousand Pounds Sterling and Costs Awarded Against Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Ltd. As Outcome of Filming of "Rasputin and Empress"

LONDON, March 5: (CP)—The jury in the libel suit of Princess Irena Youssoupoff, niece of the late Russian Czar Nicholas, today awarded damages of twenty thousand pounds sterling and costs against Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Limited, makers of the talking film "Rasputin and the Empress." Princess Irena testified that the character

APPEAL BY

PRESIDENT

Asks American Industry to In-

crease Wages and Shorten

Working Hours

WASHINGTON, D.C., March 5:

"It is the immediate task of

industry," declared the president,

"to re-employ more people at

purchasing wages and do it now.

"the government cannot continue

to absorb the whole burden of un-

Sustained While Commanding

Black Watch in War

FINTRAY HOUSE, Aberdeen-

shire, Scotland, March 5: (CP)-

Baron Sempill, aged 71, died here.

received at the Battle of Loos in

September, 1915, in which he com-

manded the famous Black Watch

Montreal Senator

PASSING OF

employment."

Regiment.

The chief executive added that

and shorter working hours.

Natasha in the picture was a libel upon herself while the defence contended that the character was purely fictional.

The suit of Princess Youssoupoff. which was for \$2,000,000, alleged that the picture libelled her by linking her objectionably with the monk, Rasputin. The case has been attracting widespread interest.

Prince Yousoupoff, testifying in his wife's behalf, told the story that he had battered Gregory Rasputn to death with a loaded stick when (CP) - President Franklin D. poisoned cakes and wines failed to Roosevelt asked American indus- kill him. He declared that the monk try today for immediate co-opera - was in the pay of Germany and had tion to secure increased wages intended to usurp the Russian

North Pacific Cannery Crew Brought North

First cannery crew to arrive on the Skeena River this spring to commence preparatory work in anticipation of the 1934 canning season, fifteen workers for North Pacific cannery under C. Avis, accountant, were landed in the Skeena Slough yesterday afternoon by the steamer Catala which made a special call there on its way here. The party consisted of eight white men and seven Orientals.

The Catala also brought north He never recovered from wounds this trip the cold storage plant crew for the Canadian Fishing Co. at Butedale.

NINETY MEN-WOMEN LOST Has Passed Away

Heavy Toll of Life When Chinese Removed by Death on Saturday

MONTREAL, March 5: (CP)-Senator Lawrence Alexander Wilyears, passed away on Saturday. He was a comparatively new member of the Red Chamber.

LOS ANGELES. March 5:- The 4 for marketing French products 4 tion of rocks and minerals. The EDMONTON. March 5:- Fire 4 High water on account of 4 and caused \$85,000 damage.

Steamer Founders Between Hong Kong and Canton

SHANGHAI. March 5: (CP)-

Ninety men and women were drowned on Sunday when a coastal in steamer foundered in Pearl River. Practical Work son, aged seventy, prominent in steamer foundered in Pearl River, midway between Hong Kong and Canton. Four hundred persons were aboard the vessel, many being trapped in their bunks.

+ FLOODS THREATEN NATIONAL CAPITAL OF UNITED STATES +

WASHINGTON, D.C., March 5:-Ice jams in the Potomac + + the United States with floods. +

+ + + + + + + + + +