

Today's Weather

Prince Rupert—Part cloudy, light westerly wind; barometer, 30.04; temperature, 38; light chop.

The Daily News

NORTHERN AND CENTRAL BRITISH COLUMBIA'S NEWSPAPER

Tomorrow's Tides

High 3:24 a.m. 20.2 ft. 15:24 p.m. 19.7 ft. Low 9:34 a.m. 6.2 ft. 21:49 p.m. 4.5 ft.

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FIGHT FOR PUBLICLY OWNED BANK

GEN. McRAE URGES CANADA TO WITHDRAW FROM LEAGUE

Vancouver Senator Predicts European War Within Five Years

Declares That Geneva Has Failed in Principal Objective Of Ensuring Peace—Versailles Treaty But Provoking Conflict—Dandurand Appeals to U.S.

OTTAWA, Feb. 2: (CP)—League of Nations affairs, disarmament and the European situation have been much to the fore in the Senate during the past couple of days.

Causes Sensation



Senator A. D. McRae who urges Canada to withdraw from League of Nations.

Senator Raoul Dandurand, also speaking in the Upper Chamber, appealed to the United States to join the League of Nations.

PRESIDENT OF UNION

Thomas Love New Municipalities Head—Mortgage Moratorium Extension

VICTORIA, Feb. 2.—Mayor Thomas A. Love of Grand Forks was elected president of the Union of British Columbia Municipalities at the close of the annual convention here.

P. R. F. Sewell of Saanich was elected secretary-treasurer of the Union in succession to Hon. A. Wells Gray, now minister of lands and municipalities.

The next convention of the union will be held in Kamloops, it was decided. Before the close of the convention members of the cabinet met with the union and Hon. John Hart, minister of finance and acting premier, promised to lay its representations before Premier T. D. Pattullo, stating that "something will be done for the municipalities if at all possible."

NEW COLD STORAGE IS INCORPORATED

VICTORIA, Feb. 2: (CP)—Provincial incorporations announced this week include the Northern Fisheries Cold Storage Ltd. of Prince Rupert with a capitalization of \$60,000.

BROWN IS PRESIDENT

Young Liberal Association Meets—W. M. Watts Vice-President, George Korie, Secretary

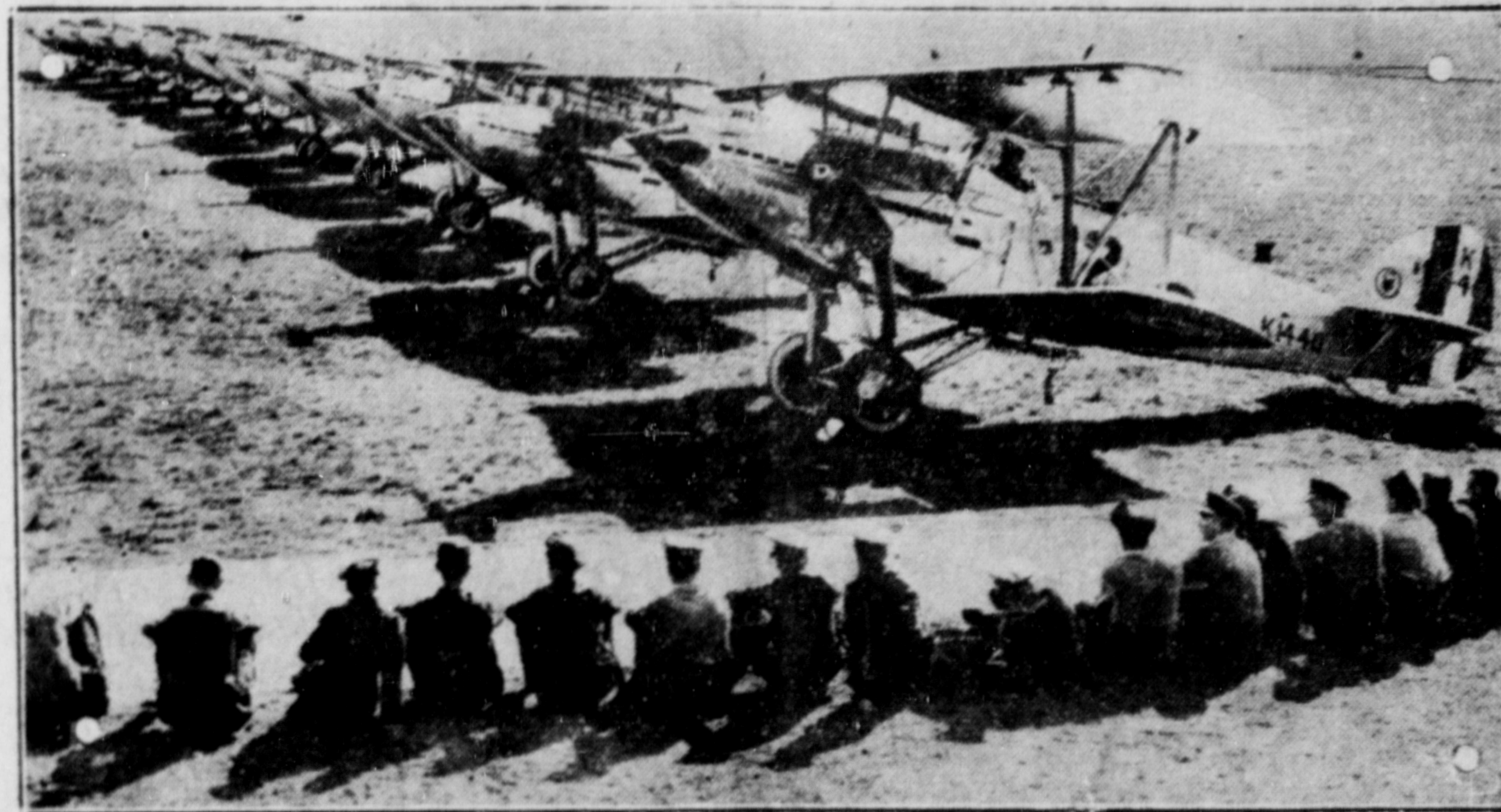
The Prince Rupert Young Liberal Association, at its annual general meeting last evening, elected officers for the ensuing year as follows:

- Honorary President, Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King. Honorary First Vice-President Premier T. D. Pattullo. Honorary Second Vice-President Olof Hanson, M.P. President, T. W. Brown. Vice-President, W. M. Watts. Secretary-Treasurer, George Korie. Executive—H. G. Kennedy, Foster Willan, A. S. Nickerson and G. P. Lyons. Delegates to executive of Prince Rupert Liberal Association—T. W. Brown and A. S. Nickerson with Foster Willan and H. G. Kennedy as alternates. The meeting was addressed by Dr. J. H. Carson, president of the Prince Rupert Liberal Association

Today's Weather

Terrace—Snowing, calm, 32. Alyansh—Light snow, calm, 32. Anyox—Snowing, calm, 35. Hazelton—Snowing, calm, 30. Smithers—Snowing, calm, mild. Burns Lake—Snowing, calm, mild, 25.

British 'Planes Stage Mimic War In Scotland



Ready for mimic war and waiting for radio orders to take off—planes of the 12th British bombing squadron lined up on the east coast of Scotland during extensive aerial manoeuvres in which coastal defences were tested for ability to repel air raids.

CURTAILING OF FISHING

Plan of Halibut Fishing Vessel Owners' Association is Adopted At Ketchikan

KETCHIKAN, Feb. 2: (CP)—The Fishing Vessel Owners' Association yesterday agreed to a halibut fishing curtailment plan presented by Harold Lokken of Seattle, manager of the Association.

The curtailment lay-out plan allows Seattle halibut boats three thousand pounds per man, Ketchikan boats 3500 pounds and western boats four thousand pounds to offset price differences for the fish.

Following the conference here, Mr. Lokken left for Petersburg and Juneau to offer the plan there.

Young Prairie Farmer is Shot

Alan Burent, Aged 23, Gets Bullet In Head While Riding in Sleigh

MELVILLE, Sask., Feb. 2:—Alan Burent, aged 23, a Pole, was brought to the Melville Hospital, having been shot in the head with a revolver while in a sleigh returning from Melville to his farm.

GOVERNORS' TESTIMONY

Rolph of California and Ritchie of Maryland Asked to Give Views On Lynching

WASHINGTON, D.C., Feb. 2:—Governors James Rolph jr. of California and Albert Ritchie of Maryland will be invited to testify at Senate hearings on the Warner-Costigan anti-lynching bill, it was announced yesterday.

Hockey Scores

Tuesday's Scores Montreal 2, New York Americans 3. New York Rangers 1, Boston 2. Chicago 2, Ottawa 0. Thursday's Scores Boston 2, Detroit 2. Toronto 5, New York Rangers 5. Montreal 3, Ottawa 1. Chicago 3, Canadiens 3.

HON. ROBERT FORKE DIES IN WINNIPEG

WINNIPEG, Feb. 2: (CP)—Senator Robert Forke, who suffered a heart-attack a few weeks ago and has since been in a sinking condition, died here this morning at the age of 73 years. He made his home at Pipestone, Man., where he had engaged in farming for many years. He was a former leader of the Progressive Party and later minister of immigration in the Liberal government of Canada. He had been a member of the Senate since 1929.

GOLD STILL MOVING UP

Price in Montreal Advances to \$34.67 And in London to \$34.84—Scalping Metal

MONTREAL, Feb. 2: (CP)—Gold continued to climb in price today being quoted 66 cents higher than yesterday at \$34.67 per ounce. A London it was \$34.84.

LONDON, Feb. 2:—Renewed flow of gold to the United States was the immediate effect yesterday of President Roosevelt's devaluation of the dollar and there was a rush of buying gold in London at \$34.07 8-10 to sell in the United States at \$35.

REPLY TO MINISTER

Ontario to Present its Case as Result of Stevens' Mass Buying Charges

TORONTO, Feb. 2:—There is every evidence that the stage is being set for an Ontario version of the mass buying inquiry to be instituted at Ottawa as a result of charges made by Hon. H. H. Stevens, minister of trade and commerce.

SANKEY NOT IMPLICATED

Notorious Bandit Not Involved in Lindbergh Kidnap Although Admitting Others

WASHINGTON, D.C., Feb. 2:—Justice Department officials indicated yesterday that no evidence had been found so far tending to link Verna Sankey, 42-year old rancher, with the Lindbergh kidnapping.

OFF TO SIOUX FALLS

CHICAGO, Feb. 2:—Verne Sankey, notorious bandit "Public Enemy No. 1 and former Canadian railway employee at Melville, Sask., who has long been sought by the police in connection with kidnappings and other crimes throughout the country, was finally arrested Wednesday by federal officers without a struggle in a barber shop here.

Following his capture, Denver, Colo., authorities took immediate steps to extradite him to face trial on a charge of kidnapping Charles Boettcher II and Sankey, waiving extradition proceedings at a brief hearing, was soon on his way to Sioux Falls, S.D. Sankey has already admitted staging two sensational kidnappings, it is said by police, but has denied knowledge of kidnapping little Charles A. Lindbergh jr.

Fire Damage Here In January \$507

All Protected by Insurance—Four Out of Month's Nine Alarms Caused by Chimney Fires

During the month of January the city fire department responded to nine alarms, four of which were chimney fires. Total fire damage for the month amounted to \$507 all of which was covered by insurance. The fires in which losses occurred were as follows:

- January 5, W. Pawchuk, Eighth Avenue East, \$227. January 10, G. E. Phillipson, Westview, \$30. January 28, C. N. R. round house, fire in engine, \$250. Last year in January there were 12 alarms. Miss Olga Kolosoff arrived on the Prince Rupert last evening from Anyox for a holiday visit with Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Pullen, Westview.

Ottawa Is Preparing For Lively Debate On Financial Institution

Will Not Deal Direct With People But With Chartered Banks and Government—Will Not Finance Canadian Wheat Crop

OTTAWA, Feb. 2:—Hon. Edgar N. Rhodes, minister of finance, is expected to introduce his central bank legislation in the House of Commons early next week. Several members have intimated that they intend to put up a strenuous fight for public ownership of the central bank instead of private as planned by the government.

Today's Stocks

(Courtesy S. D. Johnston Co.)

Vancouver

- Big Missouri, 35. B. C. Nickel, 32. B. R. X. Gold, 59. B. R. Cons., 39 1/2. Bralorne, 11.50. Cariboo Gold, 2.55. Dunwell, 30. Georgia River, 02 1/2. Indian, 01 1/2. Minto, 24 1/2. Meridian, 22 3/4. Morning Star, 28. Native Son, 09. National Silver, 04 3/4. Noble Five, 11. Pend Oreille, 98. Porter Idaho, 11. Premier, 1.06. Reeves, 17. Reward, 12 1/2. Reno, 1.14. Silver Crest, 02 1/2. Wayside, 42. Whitewater, 07. Waverly, 02 3/4. Oils Fabyan, 00 3/4. Home, 1.77. C. & E., 1.05. Freehold, 14 1/2. Sterling Pacific, 67.

Toronto

- Aldermac, 14 3/4. Alexandria Gold, 06 5/8. Central Patricia, 56. Chibougamau, 06 3/4. Columario, 15. Granada, 64. Inter, Nickel, 23.25. Kirkland Lake, 29. Macassa, 2.15. McMillan Gold, 45 1/2. Noranda, 34.60. St. Anthony, 44. Sherritt Gordon, 1.11. Sisco, 1.62. Thompson Cadillac, 31 3/4. Towagamac, 31 1/2. Ventures, 1.00. Teck Hughes, 5.85. Dome, 34.00. Wright Hargreaves, 7.00. Howey, 98. Hollinger, 12.30. Eldorado, 3.55.

New York

- U. S. Steel, 57 1/8. General Motors, 40 3/4. American Can, 100. Montgomery-Ward, 30 1/2. National Distilleries, 30 3/4. New York Central, 41 3/4.

Wheat Prices

- Winnipeg May, 70. July, 71 1/2. Chicago May, 91 3/4. July, 90 1/2. September, 91 1/2.

Personal Sketches By Rotarians At Weekly Luncheon

The Prince Rupert Rotary Club, at its regular weekly luncheon yesterday afternoon, heard four of its members give brief sketches of their own lives. The speakers were Max Heilbroner, W. E. Drake, Fire Chief J. R. Morrison and R. G. Van der Sluys, all of whom had something interesting to tell.

Pasteurization Of Ontario Milk

Minister of Health to Introduce Bill Making Process Compulsory

TORONTO, Feb. 2:—Hon. Dr. J. M. Robb, minister of health in the Ontario government, intends to introduce in the Legislature a bill to provide for compulsory pasteurization of milk in all Ontario cities.

Men Complain and Are Discharged From Road Camp

LAKEFIELD, Ont., Feb. 2:—A group of sixteen men including some from Toronto, Oshawa and Peterborough were discharged from the Burleigh-Aphley road camp after complaints were made over conditions there.