

Today's Weather

Prince Rupert—High fog, light westerly wind, barometer, 30.14; temperature, 63°—a smooth.

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Today's Tides

High 7:07 a.m. 16.2 ft. 19:38 p.m. 18.7 ft. Low 0:57 a.m. 6.4 ft. 12:53 p.m. 7.0 ft.

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SUIT AGAINST BROWNLEE DISMISSED

NEW CANADIAN NATIONAL PENSION PLAN AGREED UPON

Judge Overrides Jury Verdict In Seduction Case Against Premier

Mr. Justice Ives Finds Against Vivian MacMillan and Her Father in Sensational Civil Action at Edmonton—Resignation of Government Head Stands

EDMONTON, July 4: (CP)—Despite the jury's verdict to the contrary, dismissal of the civil action of Vivian MacMillan against Premier J. E. Brownlee was the judgment of Acting Chief Justice W. C. Ives in a written judgment filed at the Edmonton court house today.

EMPLOYMENT IN CANADA NOW BOUNDING UPWARD OTTAWA, July 4:—The Dominion Bureau of Statistics reports a substantial increase in employment, payrolls of the country having increased 42-738 from May 1 to June 1.

NEW PLANT IS OPENED

Cold Storage Establishment on Waterfront Ready to Receive Fish

The new cold storage plant of the Northern Fishermen's Cold Storage Ltd. is now ready to receive fish, the sharp freezers having started to function at the first of the week.

Today's Stocks

(Quoted by S. D. Johnson Co.)

New York

Anaconda, 13 3/4. Chrysler, 39 1/4. C. P. R., 137 1/2. Inter. Nickel, 26. Noranda, 44. Dome, 44 1/2. General Motors, 30 3/4. Auburn, 23. Case, 49 3/4. U. S. Steel, 38 1/2.

Toronto

Central Patricia, 96. Chibougamau, 13. Lee Gold, 11 1/2. Granada, 57. Inter. Nickel, 25.25. Macassa, 2.45. Noranda, 43.00. Sherritt Gordon, 81. Sisco Gold, 2.31. Thompson Cadillac, 40. Ventures, 80. Lake Maron, 07 1/2. Teek Hughes, 6.95. Sudbury Basin, 1.46. Columbario, 26. Smelter Gold, 26. Can. Malartic, 59. Little Long Lac, 5.95. Bugamac, 15. Stadacona, 42 1/2. Maple Leaf, 28. Pickle Crown, 1.60. Long Lac Lagoon, 33. Manitoba & Eastern, 29.

MONTREAL EXCHANGE

MONTREAL, July 4:—The British pound sterling was quoted at 84.39 3/4 on the local foreign exchange market yesterday and the United States dollar at 98 31-32c.

Whole World Suffers From Drought



Farmers all over Canada and the U.S. have been suffering alike from drought which seared most important food producing areas of the world, as shown by map. One farmer is seen here trying to find whether seeds he planted in the spring have had enough moisture to sprout, and others are shown scooping up water from waning streams in desperate effort to save some of the crops. Rain in the west has saved at least a part of the crop in some sections.

Royal Air Force Planes on Visit To East Canada

TRENTON, Ont., July 4:—Five British Royal Air Force planes, which are paying a visit to Canada, arrived here from Ottawa at an average speed of 200 miles per hour.

Halibut Arrivals

Summary American—21,000 pounds, 9c and 6c. Canadian—66,000 pounds, 5.1c and 5c to 6.3c and 5c. American Middleton, 21,000, 9c and 6c, Atlin. Canadian Prosperity A., 20,000, 6.4c and 5c, Royal. Fanny F., 8,000, 5.1c and 5c, Storage. Alhen, 12,000, 5.9c and 5c, Storage. Domino II, 10,500, 5.6c and 5c, Atlin. North Foreland, 4,500, 5.1c and 5c, Atlin. Pair of Jacks, 11,000, 6.2c and 5c, Storage.

Ontario Ass'n President Is Asked to Stay

OTTAWA, July 4:—The executive committee of the O. M. E. A. has recommended that C. Alf Maguire be asked to continue his position as president and the association has approved the recommendation.

Election Six Months Away

OTTAWA, July 4: (CP)—It will be six months before the election lists are completed, Hon. Hugh Guthrie, minister of justice, told the House of Commons. When the lists are completed an election could be held twenty-five to twenty-eight days after the decision of the government to dissolve Parliament.

Facing Charge of Obtaining Relief By False Pretence

James Edgar Allen of Chief Lake in the Prince George district is facing a charge of obtaining relief under false pretences, divisional headquarters of the provincial police here have been advised. He appeared before Stipendiary Magistrate N. P. Moran of Prince George who deferred committal pending the return of Judge H. A. Robertson to Prince George.

Dr. Fred G. Kergin, who is attached to the staff of the University of Toronto, arrived in the city on last night's train to pay a three weeks' visit with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. T. Kergin.

Truce in Toronto Wage Dispute Is Not Being Taken

TORONTO, July 4:—The Toronto Transportation Commission has objected to the proposal of a three-month truce with the men and wants the wage question cleared up as quickly as possible.

Called to Victoria by Illness of Son

City Commissioner W. J. Alder was summoned to Victoria yesterday on account of the serious illness of his son, Jack. He received two telephone messages, the second being more urgent than the first and indicating that it was doubtful if the young man would live. Mr. Alder left on last evening's train for Victoria by way of Jasper.

Pound Sterling

NEW YORK, July 4:—The British pound sterling has been trading at \$5.03 1/4 to \$5.05 on the local foreign exchange market.

Prorogation at Ottawa Last Eve

OTTAWA, July 4: (CP)—As had been expected, Parliament prorogued last night after a long and arduous session. The members are now leaving the Capital for their various homes in the Dominion.

Minimum Subsistence Allowance Provided By Railway Company

Scheme Approved by Joint Committee of Company Officers and Employees' Representatives to Come Into Effect on January 1 Next

MONTREAL, July 4: (CP)—A joint committee of company officers and representatives of employees has approved a new pensions plan for the Canadian National Railway employees effective January 1, 1935, it is announced in the Canadian National Railways Magazine. A minimum subsistence pension will be granted to each employee solely at the expense of the company. This may be supplemented by joint contributions by the company and employee. The employee may contribute from one to ten percent of his salary after ten years' service. Up to and including five percent the company will match the employee's contribution.

AIR FLEET IS COMING

Twelve United States Navy Amphibians to Visit Prince Rupert in August

United States Consul G. C. Woodward has received advice that the squadron of twelve United States Navy amphibian planes, which is to make a formation flight from San Diego to Dutch Harbor, is expected to be in Prince Rupert in August on its return south. The aerial squadron will be accompanied by at least two naval craft. The expedition made its first hop yesterday from San Diego to San Francisco. It is not planned to stop here northbound. It will be the largest aerial squadron that has ever visited Prince Rupert.

United States Mail Robbery

Big Four Train Visited by Bandits Between Chicago and Kankakee, Illinois

INDIANAPOLIS, July 4:—Postal officials reveal that ten sacks of valuable mail and some express were rifled in Big Four train No. 34 somewhere between the Illinois Central Station in Chicago and Kankakee, Ill., late last week.

LESS FIRE THIS YEAR

Number of Alarms Down and Damage From Red Demon Much Below Last Year

The city fire department has responded to thirty-six calls in the first six months of 1934 with a loss of \$639.45 as compared with fifty calls and a loss of \$11,002.20 in the first half of last year. During this June there were six alarms—one smoke scare, two bush fires, one carbonized oil jet, one chimney fire and one false alarm—there being no damage.

Wheat Prices

Winnipeg July, 76 1/4. October, 78 3/4. December, 79 3/4. Chicago July, 89 3/4. September, 90 3/4. December, 91 3/4.

ONE KILLED IN FRISCO RIOTING; SITUATION GRAVE

SAN FRANCISCO, July 4: (CP)—Waterfront rioting on Tuesday resulted in the death of today of Aragonne Reinhardt, former sailor, who suffered a fractured skull. A score or more of persons were wounded in clashes between seven hundred special police and three thousand picketers as the move to arbitrarily reopen the port to shipping commenced. Tear gas was freely used and there was considerable shooting. Handling of cargo of at least one ship was carried on under guard. The situation was stated last night to be still critical.

Baseball Scores

National League Cincinnati 0, Pittsburgh 10. New York 2, Boston 5. Philadelphia 11, Brooklyn 2. St. Louis 7, Chicago 3. American League Philadelphia 11, Brooklyn 2. Detroit 7, Cleveland 2. Boston 10, New York 9.

Dollar at New York

NEW YORK, July 4:—The Canadian dollar was trading at from \$1.00 7/8 to \$1.01 1/8 on the local foreign exchange market at the weekend.