

### Today's Weather

Prince Rupert—Cloudy, light northerly wind; barometer, 29.98; temperature, 53; sea smooth.

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### Tomorrow's Tides

High ..... 2:05 a.m. 20.4 ft.  
15:06 p.m. 18.3 ft.  
Low ..... 8:55 a.m. 2.5 ft.  
20:56 p.m. 8.3 ft.

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## WASHINGTON'S NOTE ON WAR DEBTS

### FEDERAL RELIEF ASSISTANCE TO CONTINUE TILL MID-JULY

#### Uncle Sam Suggests New Deal To John Bull On Subject of Obligations Now Falling Due



Killed

DOROTHY DELL

HOLLYWOOD, June 13.—Funeral services were conducted here for Dorothy Dell, beautiful young moving picture star, who was killed in an automobile accident at the end of the week. Many screen notabilities were in attendance at the last rites.

### ROBBERY OF MAIL

Postal Clerk From Anchorage In Custody at Seattle—\$2500 of Goods Recovered

SEATTLE, June 13: (CP)—Recovery of approximately \$2500 worth of furs and other goods allegedly stolen from the mails was announced by Post Office inspectors here yesterday after the arrest of Arthur H. Marsh, aged 38, a clerk in the post office at Anchorage, Alaska.

Marsh had flown here on his way to attend a national convention of a fraternal order, postal inspectors said. He is accused of theft from the mails of goods valued at \$3500 over a two-year period. He waived hearing and was taken to county jail. Bail was set at \$3,000.

### Halibut Arrivals

Summary  
American—62,000 pounds, 8.8c and 5c to 9c and 5c.  
Canadian—107,000 pounds, 5.9c and 4.5c to 5.9c and 4.5c.

American  
Middleton, 23,000, Booth, 9c and 5c.  
Woodrow, 11,000, Atlin, 8.8c and 5c.

Condor, 11,000, Pacific, 8.7c and 5c.  
Bolindor, 16,000, Royal, 8.9c and 5c.

Canadian  
Clipper II, 15,000, Pacific, 5.8c and 4.5c.

Cape Race, 6,000, Atlin, 5.9c and 4.5c.

North Foreland, 9,000, Atlin, 5.8c and 4.5c.

Cape Spencer, 15,000, Cold Storage, 5.9c and 4.5c.  
Helen II, 14,000, and Vera Beatrice, 18,000, Canadian Fishing Co. for Butedale delivery, 6c and 5c.

Readjusting of Payments or Making of Same in Goods or Services Would be Entertained—Supplying of Rubber or Tin Suggested—France Announces Inability to Pay

WASHINGTON, D.C., June 13: (CP)—Replying to the British war debts note of June 4 in which the British government intimated that it intended to make no payment whatever on war debt instalments due on June 15, the United States government last night suggested offers would be considered for readjusting the debt or payment in goods or services. The United States note urged Great Britain to make some sort of settlement so it would not be regarded as a defaulter.

The United States note set forth three points as follows:  
First, Great Britain would have to pay only the amount of the June 15 instalment to avoid being considered in default under the Johnson law.

Second, there is no connection whatever between the debt owed United States by Great Britain and those owed Great Britain by other countries.

Third, the United States government will be glad to entertain proposals for either readjustment of the debt or for payment in goods and services.

Some observers, following publication of the note, pointed out that Britain controls the world's supply of rubber and predominates in tin production and predicted that an arrangement might be made under which the British could repay part of the debt in those raw materials.

France Will Not Pay  
There was no surprise although some disappointment yesterday in official quarters when a note was received from France officially announcing the decision of that country to make no payment whatever on the war debt instalment due on June 15. It was intimated that France was simply unable to pay.

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Security against unemployment and want in old age formed the keynote of a special message sent to Congress by President Franklin D. Roosevelt in which a new program of social and economic legislation was outlined. Steps to safeguard jobs and homes were suggested, a plan of unemployment insurance, housing program and migration of farmers from unprofitable to more favorable areas being among the proposals. It is expected it will be the president's final message to the present session.

Theo Collart sailed last evening by the Catala on a business trip to Vancouver.

Alaska Church Leader Will Attempt To Visit His Parishioners In Remote North  
JUNEAU, Alaska, June 13:—Rt. Rev. P. T. Rowe D. D., Episcopal Bishop of Alaska, will be leaving shortly to make an attempt to visit his parishioners in remote Point Barrow.

#### Triple Murder of Klondike Recalled



"That's him, I know by his whining voice." Frank Allen, the "Klondike Kid," retired gold prospector, points to Tom Jensen, Danish sailor, as the "Blueberry Tom" who has been sought for 20 years. He was wanted for the murder of three comrades in the Yukon mining regions. Allen picked him out of a crowd of 75 spectators in Brooklyn homicide court. Twenty-one years ago three men and a woman set out from Fairbanks to scabble for gold dust. It was the winter of 1913, and when spring came around, it was said that they had nearly \$20,000 worth of dust in their pokes. Then the bodies of "Sweet Marie," who came out of the Fairbanks dance halls; of "Fiddler John" and Frank Adams were found. They had been gone to death, and "Blueberry Tom" Jensen was missing. Someone recalled that "Blueberry Tom" had shown up and had auctioned off a bracelet that once belonged to "Sweet Marie."

### ACTION IS OBTAINED

Railway Commission Official is Coming Next Week to Discuss Reduction of Auto Rates

The Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce has at last obtained action in its long fight to get the authorities to move with a view to bringing about a reduction in the transportation rate on automobiles between Prince Rupert and Terrace and Hazelton.

Today the chamber was advised that A. Le Sage of Calgary, inspector of railroad operations of the Board of Railway Commissioners of Canada, expected to be in Prince Rupert during the week of June 18 to discuss the question of a reduction in these rates. Mr. Le Sage will also visit Hazelton and Terrace.

### SESSION TO RISE SOON

Congress Expected to Conclude Labors by End of Week—Senate Passes Silver

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### STOCK MART AUTHORITY TREND DOWN ON TARIFF

General List Moves Narrowly With Small Losses Prevalent Late In Yesterday's Session

NEW YORK, June 13:—Stock prices were moderately lower here with the general list moving narrowly. Small losses were in the majority late in the session.

### ACQUITTED OF MURDER

Charles Hunter Found Not Guilty At Vernon in Connection With Princeton Killing

VERNON, June 13: (CP)—Charles Hunter, Princeton rancher, was found not guilty by a jury at the Supreme Court Assizes here yesterday on a charge of murdering Robert Campbell at Hunter's ranch on December 21.

Hunter testified that he shot Campbell in the thigh in the course of a quarrel in which Campbell was the aggressor. Although the two men had lived together for years, it was the first quarrel they had ever had. Hunter said.

In a statement prior to death, Campbell said that he alone had been to blame for the quarrel.

#### Ottawa To Carry On With Contributions For One Month More

Hoped by Then That Provinces and Municipalities Will be Able to Assume Burden Until Such Time as Public Works Program Gets Under Way in Fall

OTTAWA, June 13: (CP)—Federal contributions to direct relief in the provinces will be continued until July 15 in spite of the previous decision to stop them on June 15, it was announced last night. By the middle of July the federal government is hopeful that the employment situation will have so improved that the provinces and municipalities may be able to carry on their own direct relief until the federal relief work program is commenced in the fall.

### Big Boost In Air Strength Is Proposed

LONDON, June 13: (CP)—The expansion of the British Air Force, announced some months ago, contemplates addition of fifty squadrons, or roughly 600 machines, it was learned yesterday.

### Lost Lives In Crash of Plane

How Persons in American Airways Machine Came to Their End In Catskill Mountains

NEWARK, N.J., June 13:—Victims of the crash of the American Airways plane in the Catskill Mountains twelve miles north of Livingston Manor, N.Y., were Harry H. Pinsky of New York, W. B. Bader, W. A. Cass and H. Coppins, all of Buffalo. Clyde Holbrook, aged 38, of Chicago, co-pilot, and Miss Margaret Huckby, aged 28, of Chicago, stewardess.

The plane was on its way from here to Buffalo. All the victims were inside the plane and were burned to death.

### Light Rains Aid Wheat Crops In Saskatchewan

REGINA, June 13:—There have been further light rains during the past few days in central and southern Saskatchewan with the result that crop conditions appear to be much more encouraging although in some areas there will be much loss as a result of the recent prolonged drought.

### NEW YORK METALS

NEW YORK, June 13:—Silver price here yesterday was 45c. Copper was quoted at 9c, up 1/2c. The silver price today was 45 1/2c.

### PATTULLO IS HEARD

Ottawa to Consider P. G. E. Purchase and Better Terms, He Tells Laurier Club

VANCOUVER, June 13: (CP)—British Columbia's case for the taking over of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway by the Dominion and the province's claims for better terms under Confederation will probably be considered by a committee of the whole Dominion cabinet some time after the prorogation of the House of Commons, Premier T. D. Pattullo indicated in an address yesterday to a combined luncheon of the Laurier and Lady Laurier Clubs of Vancouver. Prime Minister R. B. Bennett had written a letter to him to that effect, Premier Pattullo said.

During his address, Premier Pattullo also made the declaration that all of Canada's unemployed could be put to work without destroying the national credit.

### WHEAT WAR IS FEARED

Alarm Caused by News That Argentina Has Topped Her Grain Export Quota

LONDON, June 13:—Feeling of alarm ran through wheat circles here as news spread that Argentina had topped her export quota of 110,000,000 bushels by 4,000,000 bushels and had booked ocean carriage to export more.

Some observers prophesied that Argentina's action would result in a "wheat war" involving Canada, United States and Australia while others hoped for a solution of the problem by agreement.

### WATER FROM EVERY PROVINCE AND STATE MIXED BY KIWANAS

TORONTO, June 13:—Water brought in bottles from every province of Canada and every state of the United States was mixed at the international Kiwanis convention here this week and a toast drunk with the mixture.

### NO SESSION THIS FALL

No Likelihood of Legislature Being Called Together Again This Year, Says Pattullo

VICTORIA, June 13: (CP)—Premier T. D. Pattullo states that there is no likelihood of a session of the Legislature this fall.