Today's Weathe.

Prince Rupert -- Clear,, calm; barometer, 30.28; temperature, 47; sea smooth.



NORTHERN AND CENTRAL BRITISH COLUMBIA'S NEWSPAPER

Tomorrow's Tides

8:26 a.m. 18.7 ft. 22:10 p.m. 16.6 ft. 1:54 a.m. 10.4 ft. 15:25 p.m. 5.6 ft.

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LABOR NOW IN CONTROL IN LONDON

STATE AID TO MINING INDUSTRY IS URGED AT VICTORIA

Workers Ascendant On Metropolitan Council-First Time in History

Conservatives, Who Have Held Majority For Twenty-Seven Years, Win But 55 of 124 Seats While Liberals are Completely Wiped Out

LONDON, March 9: (CP)-For the first time in history Labor controls the government of the entire London metropolitan district, complete returns from Thursday's All Prisoners Are council elections giving Labor sixty-four members or a majority of four in the council which totals 124 members. Conservatives, who held a majority for twenty-seven years, elected 55 members while the Liberals were completely wiped out.

Today's Stocks

Vancouver

Alexandria, .07,

Bayview, .021/2.

B. C. Nickel, .761/2.

Big Missouri, .43.

Bralorne, 11.25.

B. R. Cons., .35.

Dunwell, .30.

Golconda, .53.

Minto, .361/2.

Meridian, 211/2.

Indian, .03.

B. R. X. Gold, .75.

Butte I. X. L., .281/2.

Cariboo Quartz, 2.50.

Georgia River, .041/4.

Hercules Cons., .061/8.

Morning Star, 391/2.

National Silver, .0534.

Native Son, .071/4.

Pend Oreille, 1.43.

Porter Idaho, .14.

Silver Crest, .023/4.

Taylor Bridge, .63.

Whitewater, .081/4.

United Empire, .24.

Chibougamau, .10.

Lake Maron, .101/4.

Granada, .741/2.

Lee Gold, .1734.

Noranda, 38.50.

Sisco Gold, 2.20.

Ventures, 1.07.

Columario, .82.

Dome, 37.50.

Ford A, 23.

C.P.R., 151/9.

Macassa, 2.40.

Central Patricia, .681/2.

Sherritt Gordon, 1.21.

Sudbury Basin, 1.86.

Thompson 'Cadillac, .46.

International Nickel, 27.25.

Teck Hughes, 6.75.

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Cons Smelters, 1611-4.

General Electric, 29,

General Motors, 37%.

Union Pacific, 128,

U.S. Smelting, 127.

American Can, 10058.

Allied Chemical, 150 1-4.

U.S. Steel, 541/2.

New York

duties, sailed by the Prince Rupert

McIntyre, 43.50.

Toronto

Waverly Tangier, .03.

Salmon Gold, .29.

Wayside, .42.

Noble Five, .16.

Premier, 1.66.

Reeves, .18.

Reward, .10.

Reno, 1.16.

PREACHES **ECONOMIES**

B. N. A. Act Should be Amended to Prevent Overlapping, Says Sir Henry Drayton

TORONTO, March 9:-Sir Henry Drayton told a luncheon meeting of the Empire and Canadian Clubs here yesterday that there must be amendments to the British North America Act to effect economies in the overlapping of public services of Canada.

The country needed amendments, Sir Henry said, which would remove ten masters from the backs of Canadian farmers and business men and leave them with one.

Brisk Rally On Stock Exchange

Buying Activity During Last Hour Yesterday Converted Day's Declines Into Advances

NEW YORK, March 9- Stocks rallied briskly during the last hour of trading yesterday following irregularity, declines being replaced by advances with metal shares leading the features

Exchange Rates at New York-Montreal

MONTREAL, March 9-The British pound sterling was trading at \$5.0934 on the local foreign exchange market today. The United States dollar was selling at \$1.00

NEW YORK, March 9-The British pound sterling was selling at \$5.077/8 yesterday afternoon on the local foreign exchange market. The Canadian dollar was trading

CANADIAN LUMBERMEN TO CO-OPERATE WITH UNITED STATES N.I.R.A. +

MONTREAL, March 9: (CP) -The annual meeting of the + + Canadian Lumbermen's Asso- + + ciation here vested power in + + its board of directors to take + * action ensuring complete co- * + operation between the lumber + + industry in Canada and Na- + Albert Farrow, steamboat inspec-+ tional Industrial Recovery Act + or, after having spent the past * code authorities in the United * two weeks in the city on official + States.

TO CONFER : : MARKETING | WITH DUCE : Kidnapping : DISCUSSED

to arrive in Rome the same day + kidnapped in broad day- + markets commissioner, took local as Chancellor Englebert Dolfuss + light yesterday from its + views in respect to marketing of and Premier Golmboes of Austria to + crib at the home here by + interior agricultural products on confer with Premier Mussolini.

Ordered Removed * been aroused and have * ing the interior producers and city From County Jail * search.

WASHINGTON, D.C., March 9: Federal prison officials have ordered the removal of all prisoners from Crown Point, Indiana, county jail Ryckman Left from which John Dillinger, notorlous desperado, recently made his spectacular escape.

Special Train Is Used For Funeral

Other Transportation at The Pas

special train of four Canadian Na- trust for the children. tional Railways coaches yesterday carried the body of a veteran nor-United Church here to the cemetery, all roads being blocked for cars by deep snow.

+ FIRST HALIBUT OF SEASON GOES EAST: GOOD PRICES PAID +

First carload of fresh hali- + + but of the 1934 season to leave + + here for the eastern market is + + Storage Co. which purchased + chants' Association.

+ eries at 8.5c and 6.5c.

Great Britain Will Build Up

Her Armaments If Forced By

LONDON, March 9: (CP)—Great Britain yester-

day followed up increases in naval, army and air

estimates with the unmistakeable declaration that.

if others do not reduce their armaments to her level.

she will build up hers. Both Rt. Hon. Stanley Bald-

win, Lord President of Council, and Sir Phillip Sas-

soon, Under Secretary for Air, were emphatic that

Great Britain could no longer be satisfied with an

ces for the ensuing year total \$567,000,000, an in-

Britain's appropriations for land, sea and air for-

inferior position in air armaments.

crease of \$24,000,000 over last year.

Other Nations; House Hears

a man who entered the the local market. The necessity of house, leaving a woman by uniform grading of products was emphasized and freight rates and + in a waiting car. The * jother matters were discussed with police departments have + a view to devising means of bringstarted an intensive + retailers closer together.

Large Estate

Former Minister of National Revenue Had \$800,000-Widow And Children Beneficiaries

Heavy Snow on Roads Prevented P. C., K. C., former minister of na- debate on the address in reply to + with the marriage, tional revenue, disposes of an the Speech from the Throne with + Sigvard renounced all estate of \$799,088.75. Mrs. Ryckman passage without recorded vote of *royal rights. is to receive a life income from the the usual formal resolution. Hon.

toria Without Recorded Vote; Budget on Monday

Prince Rupert Retail Merchants'

Association, was in the chair.

DEBATE IS

THE PAS, Man., March 9:-A estate, the residue to be held in John Hart, minister of finance, will present the budget on Monday.

thern railwayman, D. E. McKenzie, National Mass Buying Control and the funeral mourners, from the National Mass Buying Control And Regulation of Methods of Business Urged on Committee

OTTAWA, March 9: (CP)—A national control council to curb mass buying by chain and department stores and unfair, unethical business practices was proposed yesterday to the Parliamentary committee, Hon. H. H. Stevens, chairman, which is investigating mass buying and manu-+ being dispatched this after- + facturing and mercantile conditions generally in Canada, + noon on the regular train by + by George Hougham of Toronto, se-

+ the Canadian Fish & Cold + cretary of the Ontario Retail Mer- driven to the wall and small re-

+ the 17,000 pound catch of the + All day long the committee, es- by the eternal drive for sales and tiary, during riots there. + Prosperity A., Capt. Andrew + tablished to investigate general la- more sales by the big organizations. + Christiansen, on the Fish Ex- + bor conditions and business prac-+ change this morning for 9.1c + tices, had painted for it a picture partmental stores were "semi-+ and 6.6c. The only other boat + of misery and destruction left in + in was the Palander, Capt. + the wake of big buying organiza-+ Tom Dybhavn, which disposed * tions by Hougham and Warren K. + of 4,000 pounds to Atlin Fish- + Cook, president of the Canadian + Association of Garment Manufac-+ turers. The two witnesses said that + + + + + + + + + + + legitimate manufacturers had been

tailers had been put out of business

Cook told the committee that de- Britain Being monopolistic" and said that eighty percent of his associates favored a National Recovery Act for Canada.

Violence Flares Up in Winnipeg

ing Co. here yesterday, forty strik- drive of reforming zeal." ers and picketers attempting to prevent a truck from leaving the premises.

+ FIRST VIOLENCE IN

CALGARY. March 9:-First + + violence in the labor trouble + + at P. Burns & Co. packing + + plant occurred yesterday when + + a large rock was thrown + + through a window of a police + + cruiser car.

STRIKE AT CALGARY +

Provincial Government Is Urged to Encourage Activity In Minerals

German Chancellor von Papen is + Lloyd Cummings was + wholesale, J. A. Grant, provincial Present Departmental Machinery to be Urged-Asselstine Urges Compensation For Prospectors and Small Concentrating Plants

> VICTORIA, March 9: (CP)-State assistance to promote mining activity through a regularly organized system using the present machinery of the Department of Mines will be recommended to the government by the mining committee of the Legislature, it was decided on Thurs-George Hill, president of the day. "I feel that the mines of British Columbia are going

to pay our debts if they are ever going to be paid," declared Dugald McPherson, Liberal member for Grand Forks - Greenwood and WEDDED TO ACTRESS + chairman of the committee. The - proposal came from the Grand LONDON, March 9:-Prince + Forks Board of Traed and is de-Sigvard, son of Sweden's + signed as a means of taking men

+ Crown Prince, was married + off relief. W. J. Asselstine, Liberal member + yesterday in a registry office + Throne Speech Approved at Vic- + here to Erika Patzek. Berlin + for Atlin, proposed that prospec-+ film actress, in defiance of the + tors come under the Workmen's + Royal House of Sweden, the + Compensation Act. This will be re-+ couple leaving later for a + commended to the government. Mr. + honeymoon trip to Italy by + Asselstine on Monday will present of Hon. Edmund Baird Ryckman Legislature yesterday wound up the airplane. In going through + proposals to the committee for the establishment by the government his of low cost concentrator plants at some of the smaller gold camps. This would relieve small operators of the cost of shipping ore direct to smelters.

ACQUITTED FOUR DIE

+ SWEDISH PRINCE IS

Secretary of Canadan Labor Defence League Found Not Guilty By Toronto Jury

TORONTO, March 9: (CP)-After deliberating for over six hours, a jury last evening acquitted Rev. A. E. Smith, general secretary of the Canadian Labor seditious utterance.

Bennett with ordering the shootprisoner at Kingston Peniten- tion to the four killed.

Nations With Resolute Leaders Forging Ahead, Says Lord Trent

WINNIPEG, March 9:-One man Great Britain is now being over- former minister of air, planned to was arrested when violence flared shadwoed by nations with resolute place himself in the government at the plant of the Western Pack- leaders "or men who possess the 'eadership during the recent riot-

IN BLAST Entire Northern Half of New Jersey

Rocked by Explosion in Powder Plant

KENVIL, N.J., March 9:-Four men were reported killed in an explosion at the Hercules Powder Co. Defence League, on a charge of plant which rocked almost the entire northern half of New Jersey. Smith was alleged to have There were 400 employed at work charged Prime Minister R. B. in the plant at the time and it was considered miraculous that there ing of Tim Buck. Communist were not more casualties in addi-

People at first thought that the explosion was an earthquake. Even ships in the water were rocked.

Overshadowed Former Minister Of Air Planned to Take Power On Himself

PARIS, March 9-Members of a British industrialist, addressing the Chamber of Deputies investigating Chamber of Commerce, said that committee report that Eugene Frot,

Basketball Tonight and Tomorrow

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Anyox Girls vs. Rupert All Stars

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. last night on his return to Vancou-