Today's Weather

Prince Rupert-Clear, calr & rometer, 30.15; temperati sea smooth.

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PRINCE RUPERT, B.C., THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1934

Tomorrow's Tides

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CIVIL WAR IN VIENNA HAS COLLAPSED

MUNICIPAL COMMISSION REPORT PRESENTED AT VICTORIA

Revolt of Socialists Against Dolfuss Government Fails Though Fighting Goes On In Provinces

Doumergue Is French Master;

PARIS, Feb. 15: (CP) * made real rulers of * + France today by an + overwhelming vote of + * confidence in the Cham- * * ber of Deputies after * * the Premier had asked * for the passage of the budget without debate. The budget had been the * stumbling block for suc- * * tries of late.

Today's Stocks

(Courtesy S. D. Johnston Co.)

Vancouver

Alexandria, .071/2. Bayview, .03. B. C. Nickel, .89. Big Missouri, .43. Bralorne, 10.90. Bridge River Cons., .38. B. R. X. Gold, .71. Butte I. X. L., .27. Cariboo Gold Quartz, 2.43. Dunwell, .33. Georgia River, .0234. Golconda, .57. Hercules Cons., .0534. Indian, .021/2. Minto, .341/2. Meridian, .271/2. Morning Star, .341/2. Native Son. .08. National Silver, .0634. Noble Five, .141/2. Pend Oreille, 1.10. Porter Idaho, .14. Premier, 1.34. Reeves McDonald, .18. Reward, .111/2. Reno, 1.12. Silver Crest, .0378. Salmon Gold, .28. Taylor Bridge, .68. Wayside, .42. Whitewater, .091/2. Waverly Tangier, .04.

New York U. S. Steel, 571/4.

United Empire, .24.

General Motors, 39%. American Can, 10538. Allied Chemicals, 1521/4. United Aircraft, 23%.

Toronto Int. Nickel, 22.95.

Dome, 35.50. Teck Hughes, 5.90. McIntyre, 40.50. Eldorado, 3.85. Falcon, 3.46. Premier, 1.30. Howey, 1.02.

Weekly classes for those interested + assisting in moving the camp + 99 1-16c, down 1-16c from Tuesday. from income taxes are recommen- + Russia and Japan were pro- + in mining in the city council cham- + equipment from Queen Char- + MONTREAL, Feb. 15:—The Bri- ded as well as an increase in rates + minently displayed in Tokyo + ber last night, with a large number + lotte City to Cumshewa. in attendance. Interest in the lectures continues to be maintained. • • • • • • • • • ted States dollar at \$1 even.

+ Five Thousand Rebels Surrender in Capital-Moscow Sees Anti-Fascist Revolution in Europe-Nazis Stay Out of Fight

VIENNA, Feb. 15: (CP)-The Socialist revolt against Budget Passes + the Dolfuss government collapsed in the capital of Austria where in some localities they appeared to be worsting the • government troops. Five thousand Socialists surrendered

GET JUSTICE the regular army. Socialist women fought grimly beside their men, carrying ammunition and loading

All Pensions Taken Without Notice To Be Returned, Says -Bennett

OTTAWA, Feb. 15:-Premier B. Bennett, after consulting with Col. Ralston, former minister of national defence, who appealed for cessive French minis- | justice for disabled veterans against | the Canadian pensions commission · which, it is claimed, declared 800 d cases invalid, promised return of every pension taken without no

BYRD IS

SS. Bear of Antarctica Expedition Reported Held Up On Exploration Trip

ON BOARD SS. BEAR, Bay Whales, Antarctica, Feb. 15:-The steamer Bear of Oakland, bearing ruthless dictatorship. the expedition of Read Admiral Richard E. Byrd on a voyage to chart TAKEN AT unexplored eastward territory in TAKEN AT Antarctica, was ice blocked in the Bay of Whales yesterday.

Mayor of Ontario Town Appealing

Chief Magistrate of Hearst Out On \$500 Bail Following Conviction On Drunkenness Charge

Magistrate E. R. Tucker on a charge its arrival from Prince Rupert. of drunkenness. He is appealing Nimmo and three others will all forms of wealth. the conviction.

4 NEW LOGGING CAMP AT CUMSHEWA TO

A. P. Allison is building a + + large and modern new logging + Exchange Rates. New + camp at Cumshewa Inlet, + + Queen Charlotte Islands. The +

The third day of the revolution -Premier Doumergue + VETERANS TO yesterday was marked by gunfire and his cabinet were + VETERANS TO between regiments of Socialists and

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Other Developments MOSCOW, Feb. 15:-The Soviet nress enthusiastically stated yesterday that an anti-Fascist revolution is sweeping over France, Austria and Spain and attacked Chancellor Dolfuss of Austria for not using arms against the Nazis.

BERLIN, Feb. 15:-An official statement issued yesterday by the Nazi party announced that Austrian Nazis would stay out of the as Chancellor Dolfuss' hour had already come.

ROME, Feb. 15:-A formidable concentration of troops is under BLOCKED way on the Italian-Austrian frontier, it was reported yesterday.

> LONDON, Feb. 15:-The British Labor Party and Trades Union Congress have established a special ing for contributions to help the Austrian Labor movement against

KETCHIKAN

Joseph Nimmo of Nanaimo Arrested on Arrival From Prince Rupert on Piracy Charge

and operator of a small fruit farm House. at Victoria, was arrested here yes-HEARST, Ont., Feb. 15:-Mayor terday on a bench warrant charg-Brisson of this town is out on bail ing grand larceny as he stepped off of \$500 following his conviction by the halibut schooner McKinley on

plead today in federal court to charges accusing them of pirating - + + + + + + + + + + + + an Alaska fish trap last sumer.

> + Nimmo had arrived in Prince Ru-+ pert last week from Nanaimo and HAVE SEVENTY MEN + registered at a local hotel.

+ camp will be equipped with a + NEW YORK, Feb. 15:-The Bri- business tax based upon the asses-+ radio station. Mr. Allison ex- + tish pound sterling closed at \$5.031/2 sed value of land and buildings oc-+ pects to operate in this area + on the local foreign exchange mar- cupied or used in connection with + + for at least five years. There + ket yesterday, up 1/4c from the day business. will be at least seventy men at + previous which was 1/2c down from The commission does not recom-+ this camp. The Armour Sal- + Tuesday. The French franc closed mend long term debenture issues, + Dr. Joseph T. Mandy, resident + vage Co.'s power tug Salvage + on Tuesday at \$.0653, down .003. suggesting that loans be limited to + TOKYO. Feb. 15:-Fore- + mining engineer, continued his + Princess, Capt. Reg. Green, is + The Canadian dollar closed at twenty years. Fewer exemptions + casts of an early war between +

+ tish pound sterling was selling at on the higher brackets in order to rewspapers yesterday. • \$5.08 here yesterday and the Uni- bolster up municipal revenues.

Taxi Strike Ties Up New York's Night Life



Striking taxi drivers, on picket day, were snapped in New York as they persuaded an independent chauffeur to take his car back to the garage. The recent strike of the New York taxi chauffeurs, called to compel action in their favor in the disposal of the 2,000,000 or more extra nickels collected from riders under the "nickel-tax" law that has been declared unconstitutional, was almost complete tie-up, and even the independents were keeping their cars in the garage until the issue had been settled. There was no violence on either side, and no attempt was made to import strikebreaking chauffeurs by the big companies.

fight for the present but it was expected their hour would come just Changes In System of Taxation Recommended For British Columbia

"Austrian Workers' Fund," appeal- | Social Services Held to be "Onerous" Rather Than "Beneficial" Taxes-Real Property Declared Mainstay Of Municipal Revenue

> VICTORIA, Feb. 15: (CP)-Report of the Royal Commission, headed by Judge Harper of Vancouver with A. D. Peterson of Delta and Herbert Anscombe of Victoria as the other members, on municipal taxation has been presented to the government but it is not anticipated that of since. He had several thousand new legislation based upon it will?

be enacted at the coming session of should be a provincial obligation, the Legislature. The government the commission holds. will study the recommendations Other recommendations include and possibly deal with them at an KETCHIKAN, Feb. 15: (CP)- autumn session, many members James E. Nimmo, Canadian citizen favoring an earlier sitting of the

> that social services fall within the all gasoline and motorvehicle tax category of onerous rather than revenue for roads. beneficial taxes and should be so distributed as to fall equitably upon

"A comprehensive survey of actual conditions," says the report, 'must lead to the conclusion that real property is and must remain the mainstay of municipal revenue. Net profits tax is the fairest business tax, the commission reports, but if its imposition is deemed impracticable in view of Dominion York and Montreal and provincial income levies, it several thousand dollars. would recommend as an alternative

Maintenance of mental homes > + + + + +

additional grants to hospitals pending the putting into effect of a Provincial Court health insurance scheme, restoration of municipal grants on the The Commission is of the opinion 1929 basis and the earmarking of

College Residence

4 TOKYO NEWSPAPERS SAY WAR SHORTLY 4

DEATH IS PRESUMED

Order Issued in Connection With Settlement of Edward Bannier's Estate

VANCOUVER, Feb. 15: (CP)-Missing since September 9, 1926, Edward Bannier, retired Prince Rupert cobbler, has been presumed the remains. dead under an order issued in Supreme Court Tuesday by Mr. Justice D. A. McDonald.

Bannier for years conducted a shoe repairing shop on Fifth Street at the rear of the Royal Bank of Canada but dropped out of sight years ago and has not been heard dollars on deposit in a local bank. Settlement of the estate is being

Less Than Two Dozen Appeals Listed For Attention-Adjournment Until February 21

1 judge, court of revision on the pro- from the interior on Tuesday At Toronto Burned vincial assessment roll for Prince night's train and will be returning Rupert district was in session yes- to Copper City tomorrow afterterday and again today, adjourn- noon, TORONTO, Feb. 15:-A large ment being taken until February three-storey residence building of 21 when adjourned cases will be + + + + + + + + + St. Michael's College at 53 Queen's dealt with and decisions rendered + Park Crescent here was destroyed with a view to confirming the roll. + BRITISH COLUMBIA by fire yesterday with a loss of In all there are less than two dozen appeals on the list which covers a wide territory. Personal appearances were heard yesterday and .

Wheat Prices

Winnipeg

Chicago May, .9058. July, .893/8.

September, .90.

On Fourth Avenue East Henry Archibald McLean, who

Henry A. McLean, Former City En-

gineer, aPsses Away at His Home

BY DEATH

REMOVED

occupied the position of city engineer in Prince Rupert for three years from 1926 on, passed away at 5 o'clock this morning at his home, corner of Fourth Avenue East and Green Street, following a lengthy illness. He was 63 years of age and was both a civil and an electrical engineer. News of his death will be received with regret by many friends and general sympathy will be extended to the bereaved.

Born near Melbourne, Middlesex County, Ont., the late Mr. McLean, before coming to Prince Rupert, was for some years superintendent of electric railways at Moose Jaw, Sask., and, prior to that, was for ten years city engineer at Sarnia,

In addition to the widow and a daughter, Miss Margaret McLean, and son, Edward McLean, here, deceased is survived by three brothers. James A. McLean of the University of Manitoba at Winnipeg, and John and Frank McLean at Melbourne. ont., and two sister, Mrs. (Dr.) F. B. Elliott of Macklin, Sask., and Mrs. C. H. Young of Glencoe, Ont.

Mr. McLean was a member of the Engineering Institute of Canada and of the Professional Engineers' Association of British Columbia. During his incumbency as city engineer, he belonged to the Rotary Club here.

Following a service tomorrow evening at the chapel of the B. C. Undertakers, the remains will be placed aboard train and taken to Melbourne, Ont., where interment will be made. The son will accompany

MILL IS IN OPERATION

Copper City Plant Resumes Cutting After Having Been Closed Down For Winter

The Vanarsdol Lumber Co. resumed cutting of box lumber, cedar ties and bridge timber in its sawmill at Copper City last week following the usual winter shut-down. Of Revision Sits lowing the usual winter shut-down, it is reported by Mrs. W. Hagen, who is paying a brief business vis.t to town. Fourteen men are employed in the mill which has a capacity of 20,000 feet daily but is

seldom run to full capacity. With J. C. McLennan acting as Mrs. Hagen arrived in the city

LOG SCALE IS FAR AHEAD OF YEAR AGO *

VICTORIA, Feb. 16:--The + Forest Branch of the provin- + + cial government announces + + that the log scale in British + + Columbia during January in-+ creased more than one hun- + * dred percent over the same * + month in 1933, this being due + + to the revival now being ex- + + perienced by the timber in- + + dustry.