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**Tomorrow's Tides**

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| High | 3:10 a.m. | 21.3 ft. |
| | 16:28 p.m. | 17.6 ft. |
| Low | 10:08 a.m. | 2.7 ft. |
| | 22:11 p.m. | 8.4 ft. |

# FEDERAL ANSWER EXPECTED TODAY

# McGEER OFFERS ECONOMIC PLAN TO BANKING COMMITTEE

## Ottawa Will Either Advance What B.C. Needs or Back Up Province Bonds 'Tis Believed

**Either Course Would Enable Victoria to Carry On Obligations and Launch Recovery Program—Pattullo May Now Proceed to New York**

OTTAWA, May 2: (CP)—The federal government will complete its disposition of British Columbia's appeal for a substantial loan or guaranteed bond issue late today, it is expected by members of the Pattullo government who have been here to interview the federal authorities. It is believed that, should the federal government not advance the full amount required by British Columbia to carry on its obligations and launch a recovery scheme, it might agree to guarantee a bond issue in New York which Premier Pattullo would at once proceed there to arrange.

### Sings Monday

Dr. T. Harry Johns, leading baritone soloist of the Metropolitan Choir and the Victoria Operatic Society, who will be heard in a recital next Monday in First United Church here.

## HARD STUFF IN ALASKA

**Liquor Goes On Sale All Over Territory Except In Ketchikan—City Store Chosen**

KETCHIKAN, May 2 (Canadian Press)—Hard liquor flowed freely and legally yesterday in all parts of Alaska except Ketchikan which spent the day voting down a dry ordinance. Stores in the city, however, dressed up their windows with bottles of whiskey, wines, brandy, etc., in celebration of the event.

At the election the city decided to have one city-operated liquor store rather than several privately-owned establishments for the dispensing of hard liquor. The majority in favor of the city store plan was eighty.

### Baseball Scores

**National League**
Brooklyn 9, New York 10.
Boston 6, Philadelphia 7.
Chicago 1, Pittsburg 4.
Cincinnati 2, St. Louis 3.

**American League**
Cleveland 12, Chicago 1.
St. Louis 4, Detroit 5.
New York 10, Washington 5.
Philadelphia 2, Boston 7.

**CANADIAN GOLD PRICE**

MONTREAL, May 2: (CP)—The Canadian gold price was down one cent today at $34.76 per ounce.

**BAR SILVER**

NEW YORK, May 2: (CP)—Bar silver closed at 42⅝c per ounce on the local metal market today.

**VANCOUVER WHEAT**

VANCOUVER, May 2: (CP)—Wheat was quoted at 62½c on the local exchange today.

### Vancouver Stocks

Supplied by S. D. Johnston Co. Ltd

**Vancouver**

Alexandria, .06.
Bayview, .01½.
B. C. Nickel, 1.62.
Big Missouri, .30.
Bralorne, 13.40.
Bridge River Con., .39.
B. R. X., 1.16.
Butte I. X. L., .20.
Cariboo Quartz, 2.35.
Dunwell, .38.
Dentonia, 1.46.
Georgia River, .02½.
Golconda, .36.
Indian, .02 (ask).
Minto, .75.
Meridian, .19.
Morning Star, .35.
Native Son, .05.
National Silver, .03½.
Noble Five, .09½.
Pend Oreille, .90.
Porter Idaho, .08½.
Premier, 1.28.
Reeves McDonald, .20.
Reward, .10.
Reno, .97.
Silver Crest, .03⅜.
Salmon Gold, .30½.
Taylor Bridge, .95.
Wayside, .42.
Whitewater, .05.
Waverly Tangier, .01¼.
United Empire, .16.

**Toronto**

Central Patricia, .70.
Chibougamau, .13¾.
Lee Gold, .15.
Granada, .77.
Inter. Nickel, 28.00.
Macassa, 2.71.
Noranda, 40.40.
Sherritt Gordon, 1.15.
Sisco, 2.24.
Thompson Cadillac, .50.
Ventures, .95.
Lake Maron, .09.
Teck Hughes, 6.05.
Sudbury Basin, 1.60.
Columario, .32.
Smelter Gold, .29.
Can. Malartic, .58.
Little Long Lac, 4.40.
Bagamac, .25½.
South Tiblemont, .11.
Maple Leaf, .66.
Pickle Crow, .78.
Long Lac Lagoon, .20.
Manitoba & Eastern, .21.

**NO FISH TUESDAY**

No boats being in with catches, there was no sale of halibut on the local fish exchange yesterday.

### Westerners Take Hoop Game Title

MONTREAL, May 2: (CP)—Vancouver Province won the men's senior Canadian basketball championship last night by defeating Montreal Nationales 33 to 20 to take the series three games to one.

### Theft Charge Is Dropped Against Two Atlin Miners

Stay of proceedings has been entered by the attorney general's department in a case in which two Atlin men, Isaac and Herbert Matthews, were charged with theft of some twenty or thirty ounces of gold from S. E. Lozanoff, also of Atlin. Lozanoff was operating a placer claim on lease from the Matthews brothers and, following a disagreement, the latter were alleged to have seized his gold clean-up, the theft charge ensuing. It is understood the matter will be proceeded with in the civil courts.

### WINNER OF BIG RACE

**Lord Glanely's Unbeaten Colt Colombo Won Two Thousand Guineas Today**

NEW MARKET, Eng., May 2: (CP)—Lord Glanely's unbeaten colt Colombo today won the classic Two Thousand Guineas Stakes worth $45,000 from a field of twelve. Easton finished second and Badruddin third.

King George witnessed the race.

### Today's Weather

Prince Rupert — Part cloudy, light southeast wind; barometer, 29.70; temperature, 49; sea smooth.

Dead Tree Point—Part cloudy, light southeast wind; barometer, 29.62; temperature, 48; sea choppy.

Langara Island—Overcast, light southerly wind; sea smooth.

### "Dead Men Tell No Tales"---Paris Politicos Hope

L'Affaire Stavisky is again stirring trouble for French government, as autopsy on body of Serge Stavisky indicates he was murdered to prevent him from giving political angles of his gigantic swindles. Casket containing body is shown arriving at Paris from Chamonix, where it was hurridly buried by authorities who said his death was "suicide". Imported British police are probing crime.

## Control Scheme For National Credit and Power of Purchasing

**Four Definite Recommendations Made at Ottawa By Vancouver Member to Relieve People of Canada From Present Financial Tension**

OTTAWA, May 2: (CP)—Occupying the spotlight for the whole day before the House of Commons banking committee, G. G. McGeer, M. L. A. for Vancouver-Burrard, finally concluded when the chairman announced that the committee stood adjourned. After presenting a general indictment of the bankers, national and international, Mr. McGeer offered a definite scheme for the control of national credit and distribution of purchasing power set forth as follows:

First, establishment of a national bank to control all currency and credit.

Second, a department of taxation to prevent accumulation of currency and credit in the hands of a few.

Third, a department of trade and commerce to control trade in Canada.

Finally, a department of foreign trade to regulate international trade and exchange.

### Halibut Arrivals

**Summary**

American—71,000 pounds, 7c and 5c to 7.6c and 5c.

Canadian—56,000 pounds, 5c and 4.5c to 5.6c and 4.5c.

**American**

Sitka, 25,000, Cold Storage, 7c and 5c.

Ithona, 19,000, Booth, 7c and 5c.

Remus, 9,000, Pacific, 7.6c and 5c.

Fremont, 13,000 Atlin 7.3c and 5c.

Marie 5,000, Cold Storage, 7c and 5c.

**Canadian**

Relief, 17,000, Atlin, 5.6c and 4.5c.

Svalbard, 4,000, Cold Storage, 5c and 4.5s.

Pair of Jacks, 16,500, Pacific, 5.2c and 4.5c.

Margaret I, 18,500, Cold Storage, 5.1c and 4.5c.

**EXTENSIVE PAINTING JOB AT ELEVATOR IS BEING CARRIED OUT**

The Alberta Wheat Pool now has in hand a rather extensive maintenance job at the local elevator in the painting of all the woodwork and metal exteriors of the local grain house. The job will occupy the full time of eight men for about a month.

### BURNING OF ARMORIES

**Loss of $160,000 in Conflagration At Dundas, Ontario, Yesterday**

DUNDAS, Ont., May 2 (Canadian Press)—The Dundas armories were destroyed by fire yesterday morning, the loss being $160,000. A considerable quantity of ammunition exploded.

**TRAIN IN MORNING**

The train, which was due from the east at 10 o'clock last night, was reported this morning to be 28 hours late which would bring it in at 2 o'clock tomorrow morning.

### NEW MARK IN FLIGHT

**Waller and Rubin Lower Time of Mollison For Trip From Australia to England**

**LYMPNE, Eng., May 2: (CP)—Kenneth Waller and Bernard Rubin last night set a new record for the flight from Australia to England, lopping two and a half hours off the previous mark of James Mollison. They landed here eight and a half days after leaving Port Darwin.**

**The pair had flown to Australia from here, leaving on March 22, to survey a route for the England-Australia air race this summer. They landed at Port Darwin on April 8.**

### INCREASE ENDORSED

**Junior Chamber of Commerce Backs Up Railway Employees in Request For Restoration Of Wage Cut**

The Junior Section of the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce, at its regular monthly meeting last night, President S. J. Jabour in the chair with a good attendance of members, endorsed a resolution submitted by Kaien Local of the Canadian Brotherhood of Railway Employees requesting restoration of the wage cut on railway employees.

George Mtichell was appointed chairman of the ways and means committee of the Junior Chamber while an attendance committee was named in the persons of Foster Willan, chairman, A. J. Webber and Joseph Wickett. T. J. Williams was appointed chairman of a committee which will endeavor to raise money for the construction of a new handball court in the city.

The "Clean Up Week" movement instituted by the city commissioner was endorsed.

G. P. Lyons presented a report on statistics in connection with the local fishing industry which had been requested by a United States writer to whom they will be forwarded.

### PRINCIPLE IS DEFINED

**British Government Opposed To Tariff Discrimination Owing To Temporary Import Increases**

LONDON, Eng., May 2 (Canadian Press)—The British government yesterday rejected the principle of discriminatory action against imports from foreign countries "merely because these imports happen to show an increase in any particular period."

### New Judge Here For Session Of Spring Assizes

Mr. Justice Harold Robertson, newest appointee to the Supreme Court bench of British Columbia, arrived in the city on the Prince George this morning from Vancouver to preside over the spring session of the Supreme Court Assizes opening here tomorrow. His Lordship will proceed from here to Prince George where the Assizes will open next week. The docket here is a light one with no criminal cases. There is one civil action in which P. J. McGettigan of Savory is suing the Canadian National Railways for damages in connection with killing of cattle by trains, it being claimed that a couple of dozen animals were so killed over a period of a couple of years. L. W. Patmore is counsel for the plaintiff and J. T. Harvey for defendant. There are also four divorce petitions.

H. Langley of Victoria also arrived today to act as court stenographer at the Assize.

Tomorrow Mr. Justice Robertson will address a joint luncheon of the Women's Canadian Club and Rotary Club.

### Stewart Case Is Adjourned

**Hearing of Agnes Gamble and John Campbell on Injury Charge Set For May 11**

Agnes Gamble and John Campbell, charged with causing bodily injury while in charge of a motor car, have been remanded at Stewart until May 11, district headquarters of the provincial police here have been advised. The charges arose from an incident on the Stewart-Hyder road on Sunday when Walter Scrimgeour sustained serious injuries on being knocked down by a car owned by Campbell and driven by the woman. J. T. Harvey of this city has been retained as counsel for the defence.

### Boys Who Escaped From Industrial School Captured

Divisional headquarters of the provincial police here have been advised of the re-arrest at Sinclair Mills in the Prince George district of two boys who escaped from the industrial school at Vancouver and who were on their way to Sinclair Mills where one of the boys has his home. The boys will be returned to the industrial school.