## Today's Weather

prince Rupert—Part cloudy, l' Aponthwest wind; barometer, L' Por temperature, 48; sea smooth.

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Tomorrow's Tides 11:52 a.m. 19.2 ft.

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18:14 p.m. 4.8 ft.

# MACKENZIE KING GOES ON WARPATH

# SPECIAL POWERS ACT SURVIVES HOT COMMITTEE SESSION

## Systematic Looting of Federal Treasury by Provinces In Guise Of Relief Condemned by Leader

### Hours of Work Bill Given Its Second Reading

Hours of Work Bill given its second the Legislature yestereasure also broadens the of the regulations to include practically all industries and occu

### Chiropractors Will Regulate Own Profession

seventeen years of fighting to secure the right to regulate their own profession along certain preines, success appeared certain to the chiropractors of Bribia after the Chiropraccived its second reading a majority of 29 to 13 in the Legislature yesterday.

### Single Employees Of State in Italy To Be Discharged the Dominion.

ROME, March 27:-Premier Be- same pay list twice. ito Mussolini announces that employees of the state who are still Dominion. unmarried a year hence will be discharged from their positions.

### NO FISH SALES

## Today's Weather

Terrace-Clear, east wind, 38. Anyox-Clear, calm. 35. Stewart-Clear, calm, 25. Hazelton-Cloudy, calm, 34. Smithers-Cloudy, calm, cool. Burns Lake-Bright, calm, 25.

### PRICE OF WHEAT

VANCOUVER, March 27: (CP) The price of wheat was quoted here today at 65%c.

### SILVER PRICE

NEW YORK, March 27:-Silver was quoted here today at 45%c.

Alton Pynn of Anyox Mine has been in the city for nearly a week for an operation on his eye. A piece of flying steel lodged in the left opto extract. Mrs. Pynn is accompany. ing him and they are staying at the St. Elmo. Both expect to return the remainder of their stay here. lowing a long illness.

Federal Liberal Chief Discusses Auditor-General's Allegations Regarding Irregularities by Municipalities And Provinces—Pays His Respects to British Columbia's S. P. A.

OTTAWA, March 27: (CP)-Systematic looting of the March 27:-Maxi- federal treasury by the provinces and municipalities unmum hours of work are cut from der the guises of unemployment relief has been flourish-56 to 48 hours a week under the new ing for the past four years, it was charged yesterday in the House of Commons by Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, Leader of the Opposition. Flourishing in his hand a report by the Auditor-General reflecting

grave irregularities by the municipalities and provinces, Mr. King PATTULLO demanded detailed audits of unemployment funds. At the time of Mr. King's remarks, the government's bill to extend the Relief Act was up for second reading.

Following were some of the instances of irregularities enumerated in the auditor-general's report, none of which were localized:

The Dominion was charged with maintenance costs on highways, administrative costs and salaries of permanent officials.

Excessive rentals charged for machinery.

Trucks have been billed as hand

Gas taxes paid to the provinces have been submitted in accounts for federal contribution.

Cities have charged the Dominion for street, maintenance. Civic salaries have been paid by

One municipality submitted the

Equipment for a university cost warning has been issued that all ing \$18,000 was charged against the

### Pays Respects to S. P. A. The example of the Dominion

government had been such as to occasion the provincial governments to follow it, Mr. King stated in re-Although three Canadian boats ference to the proposed Special were in with catches, there was no Powers Act of British Columbia sale of halibut on the local Fish while continuing his protest against Exchange this morning. The boats the powers given the government were: Viking I., 13,500 pounds; in Dominion unemployment relies Gulvik, and Relief, 17,500. They are legislation. Mr. King referred to a telegram he had received from Very years' imprisonment, will enter Il-Rev. Dean C. S. Quainton following linois State Penitentiary this week a mass meeting in Victoria. The time to have called these mass meetings to protest against this kind of thing was when the Liberal William Curtis Opposition in the House of Commons had sought to arouse public opinion on that particular form of divesting Parliament of its powers in respect to public monies four; years ago, Mr. King said.

was true to traditions of Liberalism. retired chartered accountant, who erica Act or the British Columbia he would allow the provinces to died here late last week, was edu- Constitution Act. stated.

# Owner of Quesnel

Cariboo Observer, Succumbs To Lengthy Illness

home next Sunday on the Catala | QUESNEL, March 27: (CP)—John tary of the Imperial Order, Daugh- as the last government had planned Their young son, Roy, arrived in the G. Hutchcroft, aged 67, owner and ters of the Empire, survives her to do, the Premier said. It had no incitive to the continuous survives her to do, the Premier said. It had no incitive to the continuous survives her to do, the Premier said. It had no incitive to the continuous survives her to do, the Premier said. It had no incitive to the continuous survives her to do, the Premier said. It had no incitive to the continuous survives her to do, the Premier said. It had no incitive to the continuous survives her to do, the Premier said. It had no incitive to the continuous survives her to do, the Premier said. It had no incitive to the continuous survives her to do, the Premier said. city on the Catala this morning editor of the Cariboo Observer, husband. from Anyox to be with them during weekly newspaper, is dead here foi-

# IN DOUBT

Will Not Go To Ottawa Until He Hears What Ottawa Has in Mind

VICTORIA, March 27-Premier Pattullo said last night that he had received an invitation from Prime Minister Bennett to attend a conference in Ottawa April 5 but had wired for further particulars before deciding to

"The British Columbia position is not comparable to that of the prairie provinces and we desire to secure some idea of what Ottawa has in mind," Mr. Pattullo

### Woman Physician Starts Long Term

Dr. Alice Wynekoop Loses Appeal For New Trial So Has to Enter Penitentiary

CHICAGO, March 27:- Motion on her behalf for a new trial having been denied on Saturday, the elto commence serving of the term.

# Sampson Was Old

The Leader of the Opposition in VICTORIA, March 27:-Born in

sided since.

to Miss Harriet Susan Pemberton faintest intention of disposing of sister of F. B. Pemberton. Mrs. the Pacific Great Eastern Railway Sampson, who is provincial secre- without reference to the Legislature

son's recreations.

"The Prince Was A Commoner Begging Hard For Money" REGULATE



The paraphrase of the nursery rhyme describes this picture, which shows a commoner putting a contribution into a tin cup held by a prince. The royal gentleman is Prince August Whilhelm, 4th son of the former kaiser, and the drop into mendicancy was a gesture of help to the committee in charge of the winter relief fund in Berlin. As a group commander of Nazi supreme storm troops the prince took his turn with the little tin cup on a street corner, as did all his brother commanders. Collections were good while the prince was serving.

Saturday

Vancouver Wheat

VANCOUVER, March 27: (CP)-

## Important Legislation At Victoria Is Ready For Third Reading

Forty Amendments Discussed During Five Hours of Heated Debate-Premier Pattulo Assures House That No Drastically Contentious Action is Planned

VICTORIA, March 27: (CP)—The Special Powers Act was ready for its third reading today after having wea- night, no further particulars are thered one of the hardest fought battles in committee available of the fire which destroyderly Dr. Alice Wynekoop, who was stage that has ever faced a piece of legislation in British Columbia. During five hours of continuous debate, the of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Rheta bill, which has been the centre of heated controversy ever Twenty Japanese

last Friday, ran the gamut of forty tural resources. He had in mind amendments, coming chiefly from drilling for natural oil and gas, if G. G. McGeer and the Co-operative feasible, and of placing men on re-Commonwealth Federation mem- lief on the land or in placer mining. Lost Their Lives When Pleasure bers. Two minor amendments were accepted by the government from the Opposition and three which the Mrs. Massie On government itself sponsored were Mrs. Massie On passed. Otherwise the bill remain-Timer of Province ed ssentially as the government had drawn it up.

One amendment makes it clear Dominion Parliament had no auth- South Molton, South Devon, Eng- that the Special Powers Act does Former Wife of United States Naval ority whatever to intervene in any land, November 5, 1580, the late not give the province the power to provincial matter and, as far as he William Curtis Sampson, pioneer contravene the British North Am-

manage their own affairs, Mr. King cated in his home town. He came Another amendment makes the Massie, who recently was awarded co Canada in 1881 and was engaged Special Powers Act effective until a divorce decree at Reno from in connection with Canadian Paci- the beginning of the next session of Lieut Thomas H. Massie, United than seventy injured in the col- Miss Jean Robertson, young Vanfic Railway construction, moving the Legislature instead of the end States Navy, sailed from here on lision of Japanese passenger and couver nurse, who was reported in in 1885 to British Columbia. He while another provides that the Saturday aboard the Italian liner freight trains at the week-end. went to the Yukon in 1897 in the government must report on its ac- Roma for a six months' trip to Newspaper Passes Gold Rush and returned from the tions under the act within ten days Europe. Lieut. and Mrs. Massie fi-

and it has been found difficult John G. Hutchcroft, Publisher of Mr. Sampson was married in 1909 The government had not the a couple of years ago. tention of making drastic changes or of making large grants of na- local exchange yesterday.

# Essington Fire

Investigating

Dispatched to Skeena River Village

Provincial Constable Robert Gibson was dispatched from here this morning on the police boat P. M. L. 8 to Port Essington to investigate the circumstances of the fire on Funeral of Late Sunday afternoon which destroyed the new and old United Church buildings there and the minister's

Pending his expected return toed the three frame buildings there.

Boat Capsized at Tokyo

TOKYO, March 27: - Twenty Trip to Europe which they were riding capsized few yards from shore on Sunday.

### Thirty-Three Are Killed in Train Wreck in Japan NEW YORK, March 27:-Mrs.

TOKYO, March 27: - Thirtythree persons were killed and more

# north to Victoria where he had re- after the next session opens instead gured prominently in a sensa- MADE PROFIT sided since.

Powers in Connection With Country's Trade to be Given to

Iso Products of Forests and Farms But Not of Mines

OTTAWA, March 27: (CP)-New legislation known as the National Products Marketing Act was intro-

duced in Parliament yesterday. Under the legislation the government will be empowered to limit by order-in-council the export of products at any time and control interprovincial trade and will also be clothed with authority to recompense exporters for losses incurred through obeying orders of the board and also for losses due to fluctuation in exchange rates when resulting from orders of the board.

Authority will also be given to investigate and regulate price spreads

Commodities covered by the new act include products of the sea, forests and farms but not of the mines. Any group of producers of any of these products may petition the government to have the marketing of their products regulated under the provisions of the Act.

Asked his morning to comment upon the new federal National Products Marketing Act, both T. H. Johnson, general manager of the Provincial Constable Robert Gibson | Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Co., and John Dybhavn, president of the Royal Fish Co. and the Massett Canners, intimated that they would like to have further particulars of the proposed legislation before making such comment.

## George White is Held Here Today

Many friends from ploneer days in the city were in attendance this afternoon at the chapel of Haynor Bros., undertakers, to pay final tributes of respect to the memory of the late George B. White, who Children Drown passed away suddenly last Jaturday afternoon. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. W. D. Grant Hollingworth, pastor of First Presbyterian Church, and Charles P. Balagno presided at the organ for the hymns which were children were drowned and 25 were Nearer My God to Thee and rescued when a pleasure boat in "Lead Kindly Light." Following the service, interment was made in Fairview Cemetery.

Pallbearers were H. K. Zumker, William Sloan, William Richards. T. Miller, G. C. Woodward and a George Eckerman.

### NURSE IS FRIEND OF RUPERT GIRL

press dispatches to the Daily News last week to have been seriously injured in the collision of an automobile and a truck in California on Wednesday, is a friend of Miss Hilda LAST SEASON Wilson-Murray of the Prince Rustaff. Miss Robertson had just gra-LONDON, March 27- In con- duated from the Vancouver Gentrast with the deficits of the pre- eral Hospital training school for vious three years the Hudson's nurses and was to have been home Bay Company reported a net pro- from her trip to California to write tions next month.