

Today's Weather

Prince Rupert, B.C., light westerly wind; temperature, 34; sea

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Tomorrow's Tides

High: 2:45 a.m. 21.2 ft. 15:04 p.m. 19.8 ft. Low: 9:08 a.m. 4.3 ft. 21:16 p.m. 4.9 ft.

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AIRPLANE SABOTAGE BEING RUMORED

TELEGRAPH CREEK CONSTABLE RACING AGAINST DEATH

Ugly Reports Heard In United States; Will Be Probed by Gov't.

Secretary of War Dern Discounts Sinister Statements That Army Machines Engaged in Flying of Air Mail Have Been Tamped With

WASHINGTON, D.C., March 3: (CP)—Sinister rumors of sabotage against the flying of air mail by United States Army planes will be investigated, Secretary Dern of the War Department announced today.

Unemployed Allowance Is Increased

VICTORIA, March 3: (CP)—Following a recent survey of living costs by the British Columbia Department of Labor, the provincial government has increased the food allowance for unemployed by ten percent effective March 1, it is announced.

TO RE-FORM COMMITTEE

Company Representatives to be Left Off Chamber Transportation Board

A new committee on transportation is to be chosen by President John Dybhavn of the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce omitting the names of the representatives of the local transportation companies from the list.

This action followed a protest made by George Hill at the meeting last night and supported by S. E. Parker, it being suggested that the men mentioned could not well act contrary to the interests of their employers.

Peter Lakie, C. N. R. district freight and passenger agent, who was present at the meeting, expressed agreement and said that, even though not a member of the committee, his services would always be available to the committee.

Today's Stocks

(Courtesy S. D. Johnson Co.)

Table of stock prices for Vancouver and Toronto. Vancouver: Alexandria, .07 1/2; Bayview, .02 1/2; B. C. Nickel, .75; Big Missouri, .41; Bralorne, 11.10; Bridge River Con., .37 1/2; B. R. X., .77; Butte I. X. L., .28 1/2; Cariboo Gold Quartz, 2.37; Dunwell, .36; Georgia River, .03 3/4; Golconda, .53; Hercules, .06 1/2; Hercules, .03; Minto, .37 1/2; Meridian, .22; Morning Star, .41 1/2; Native Son, .07 1/4; National Silver, .05 3/4; Noble Five, .16; Pend Oreille, 1.08; Porter Idaho, 15 1/2; Premier, 1.66; Reeves McDonald, .18; Reward, .11; Reno, 1.23; Silver Street, .03; Salmon Gold, .30; Taylor Bridge, .57; Wayside, .43 1/2; Whitewater, .08 1/2; Waverly Tangier, .02 3/4; United Empire, .25. Toronto: Central Patricia, .65 1/4; Chibougamau, .12; Lee Gold, .16 1/2; Granada, .77; Sherritt Gordon, 1.14; Inter Nickel, 23.95; Macassa, 2.34; Noranda, 37.00; Sherritt Gordon, 1.14; Sisco Gold, 2.21; Thompson Cadillac, 41 1/2; Ventures, .93; Lake Maron, .08 3/4; Teck Hughes, 6.40; Sudbury Basin, 1.53; Columario, .79.

Price of Gold

MONTREAL, March 3: (CP)—The Canadian gold price today was \$34.90 per ounce. The fixed Washington price of \$35 amounted to \$35.16 in Canadian funds, taking into account the exchange.

BIRTH NOTICE

A daughter was born February 21, 1934, to Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bloom of Montreal.

Radio Photo of Vienna Apartments After Assault



Here is a picture of the destruction wrought by the current disorders in Austria. The photo, dispatched from Vienna by radio, shows a view of the damaged Karl Marx apartments in Vienna, after they had been shelled with artillery fire by government troops. Scores were killed and injured in the shelling of the apartments, which housed 2,000 Socialist families.

Give Commission Further Trial

Chamber of Commerce Refuses to Endorse Proposal to Change Present Control

The Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce, at its meeting last night approved a report of a committee dealing with broadcasting. The committee did not think it would be in the interest of radio owners to have the management taken out of the hands of the radio commission; but thought the commission should be given a further trial to more fully demonstrate its efficiency and ability to control broadcasting throughout Canada.

It was further suggested that as this was a controversial subject it might be discussed further either at a special or regular meeting of the chamber and that the Junior Chamber should be asked to attend.

Gillett to Remain As Indian Agent For Q. C. Islands

It is understood here that arrangements have been made whereby Rev. James Gillett, who recently resigned as Indian Agent for the Queen Charlotte Islands, will continue in the office. After it became known that Mr. Gillett had resigned, strong representations were made from the Islands to have him reconsider the action.

ACTION IS DEMANDED

McGeer Promises Support to Government on Liberal Policies

VICTORIA, March 3: (CP)—"The people want the action we Liberals promised them," declared G. G. McGeer K.C., Liberal member for Vancouver-Burrard, in the Legislature yesterday.

"Work and wages were pledged and we proposed to see that the wages of men were given precedence over wages of money."

The work and wages program was absurd unless predicated on a complete and fundamental change in the monetary system," Mr. McGeer declared. He pledged his support to the government if it carried out what he considered Liberal policies.

Cup Football

ENGLISH CUP Quarter Finals Arsenal 1, Aston Villa 2. Preston North End 0, Leicester City 1. Bolton Wanderers 0, Portsmouth 3. Manchester City 1, Stoke City 0.

SCOTTISH CUP Quarter Finals Albion Rovers 1, Motherwell 1. St. Johnstone 2, Queen of South 0. Rangers 1, Aberdeen 0. St. Mirren 2, Celtic 0.

Attends Luncheon For Local Board

Judge Young Represents Prince Rupert at Vancouver and is Seated at Head Table

Judge Young represented the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce at the luncheon given by the Vancouver Board of Trade to Sir Henry Drayton on the occasion of his recent visit to that city. The Judge and Olier Besner were asked to represent the city and the Judge wrote accepting the commission and was given a complimentary ticket by the Vancouver Board and was placed at the head table.

Sir Henry had been invited to visit Prince Rupert but could not accept.

Sunshine For This Year Ahead But So Is Precipitation

At least as far as sunshine is concerned, Prince Rupert has made a better start in weather than 1933. So far this year sunshine here has totalled 86.6 hours, including the 80 hours recorded in February, as compared with 58.2 hours in the first two months of 1933. The extremely wet January, however, somewhat alters the story, precipitation so far this year having aggregated 27.96 inches as against 16.2 inches in the first two months of last year.

William Scott, Alone At Echo Lake, Suffers Severed Foot Artery

Authorities Endeavoring to Make Arrangements to Bring Man Out Over Telegraph Line to Hospital At Prince Rupert

Amid rain, sleet and snow, Provincial Constable J. V. Boys of Telegraph Creek is racing against possible death to the side of William Scott, who lies alone in a cabin near Echo Lake suffering from a severed artery in the foot caused by an axe, according to word received here this morning. The man has lost much blood.

Constable Boys is attempting to make arrangements with Indians of the district to transport the injured man over the telegraph line trail to Prince Rupert.

Echo Lake is a repair station on the telegraph line about midway between Telegraph Creek and Stewart.

Reports received at divisional headquarters this morning said that heavy rains were making sledding nigh impossible, yet Constable Boys is on his way to Scott's rescue.

Scott is a trapper.

SILVER IS DISCUSSED

Chamber of Commerce Passes Several Resolutions Dealing With Mining Matters

Mining occupied a prominent place on the agenda of the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce last evening. A resolution was passed pledging the members to make free use of silver in all monetary transactions in lieu of paper and that the co-operation of all the merchants in the district be sought.

Another resolution requested the federal government to purchase all the domestic production of silver in Canada and that it be minted into coins under the Currency Act.

Further lectures on mining were asked for in the district and it was also recommended that crown granted mineral claims reverted to the government for non-payment of taxes be thrown open for relocation by prospectors under the Mineral Act. These resolutions all came from the annual general meeting of the Omineca branch of the British Columbia Chamber of Mines.

A recommendation coming from Stewart asking for the appointment of Dr. J. T. Mandy as provincial mineralogist was not formally adopted but the secretary was asked to write to Premier T. D. Pattullo unofficially giving him the opinion of the members of the chamber, all of whom are favorable to Dr. Mandy's appointment.

Guilty of Wounding; Sentence Tuesday

Arvid Johnson Found Guilty of Stabbing Alex Salmannen

Convicted by Judge Fisher in County Court yesterday afternoon of unlawfully wounding Alex Salmannen in a stabbing affray at the Post Office corner last week, Arvid Johnson was remanded until next Tuesday for sentence.

URNS DOWN AUTO RATES

No Concessions Made by Railway Company on Cost of Taking Autos to Interior

The Canadian National Railway Company announced through Peter Lakie, district freight and passenger agent, to the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce at its meeting last night that it was not prepared to grant any concessions on transporting autos to interior points by rail.

Another request that the company reduce the price on cars to and from Vancouver is still receiving consideration.

S. E. Parker complimented Mr. Lakie on the interest he had taken in the matter of securing a reduction.

HORNBY PLAN IS ENDORSED

Chamber of Commerce Accepts Report of Committee Dealing With Land Settlement

A report from a special committee of the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce through F. A. MacCallum was adopted by the chamber meeting last evening approving the Hornby plan of agricultural settlement as being worthy of consideration and, that insofar as Northern British Columbia is concerned, it should receive the special consideration of the provincial departments of lands and agriculture with respect to areas in the Bulkley and Nechako and Lakes districts.

The committee also favored the policy laid down by the Canadian Chamber of Commerce that immigration to Canada should be confined chiefly to agriculturalists or persons desirous of settling on the land and that every assistance possible should be given them.

CANADA THIRD LARGEST SUPPLIER OF GOODS TO BRITAIN, 'TIS STATED

OTTAWA, March 3: (CP)—Canada in two years has risen from twelfth to third place as supplier of commodities to the United Kingdom, according to official figures of the British government, Hon. H. H. Stevens, minister of trade and commerce, stated yesterday. The United States and Australia lead Canada.