#### Today's Weather

Prince Rupert-Overcast, light outheast wind; barometer, 30.22; temperature, 59; sea smooth.

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Tomorrow's Tides

5:18 a.m. 15.8 ft. 17:30 p.m. 18.8 ft. 11:16 a.m. 7.8 ft.

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# SILVER'S BOUND TO AFFECT CANADA

# THOUSANDS OF ACRES ALBERTA CROP RUINED BY STORM

# Most Severe Tempest Causes Heavy Damage In Lethbridge Region

Loss as Result of Visit of Wild Elements Which Struck Southern Prairie Last Night is Estimated at alf a Million Dollars

LETHBRIDGE, Alta., Aug. 16: (CP)—Thousands of acres of crops, mostly wheat, are in ruins, having been destroved by the most devastating storm to strike Southern Alberta in years. The loss is estimated at more than \$500.-000. The storm struck late yesterday and had abated somewhat today.

### CODE PRICE OF SALMON: No Trace Of

Alaskan Canners Ask For Minimum Of \$1.10 Per Dozen For Pinks Under N. R. A.

#### Prohibit Loss

Fifty Percent of United States Production Represented in Petition At Ketchikan

KETCHIKAN, Aug. 16: (CP)--A John S. Labatt, who was minimum price of \$1.10 a dozen for abducted for ransom on + canned pink salmon was requested of the National Recovery Act administration by Alaskan canners in what they called a defence against the "distressing financial condi-

The canners declared they would + was no trace of Labatt. + opening price announced in Seattle recently of \$1 a dozen for pinks. sisted, could break eyen. Insertion selling at a loss was requested.

Cannerymen here represented fully fifty percent of the pink sal- + word came from the

# DISMISSALS

Minister of Labor Says No Excuse For Youths Losing Jobs Because Of Minimum Wage

missal of delivery boys in retail stores because of the new minimum

+ THREE STITCHES IN MUSCLE OF HEART OF CHICAGO WOMAN +

young woman, 28 years of age, + \* is recovering nicely following \*

# John Labatt:

TORONTO, Aug. 16: \* \* (CP) — The Toronto \* \* Star yesterday said that \* \* a note believed to be \* \* authentic had been re- \* + ceived by members of + + the kidnapped brewer's + \* family in London from \* + Tuesday, reading: "Do \* everything possible to \* + aid my release and obey + Ontario School \* the orders given." Up to \* + late last evening there + mable to operate under the + More than forty-eight \* hours after his brother \* + had been kidnapped, + \* a ransom but still no \* \* kidnappers nor had any \* \* authentic contact been \* \* made.

#### WILL TEACH AGRICULTURE

VICTORIA, Aug. 16: (CP)-Dis- Will be Included in Curriculum of Ontario Public Schools

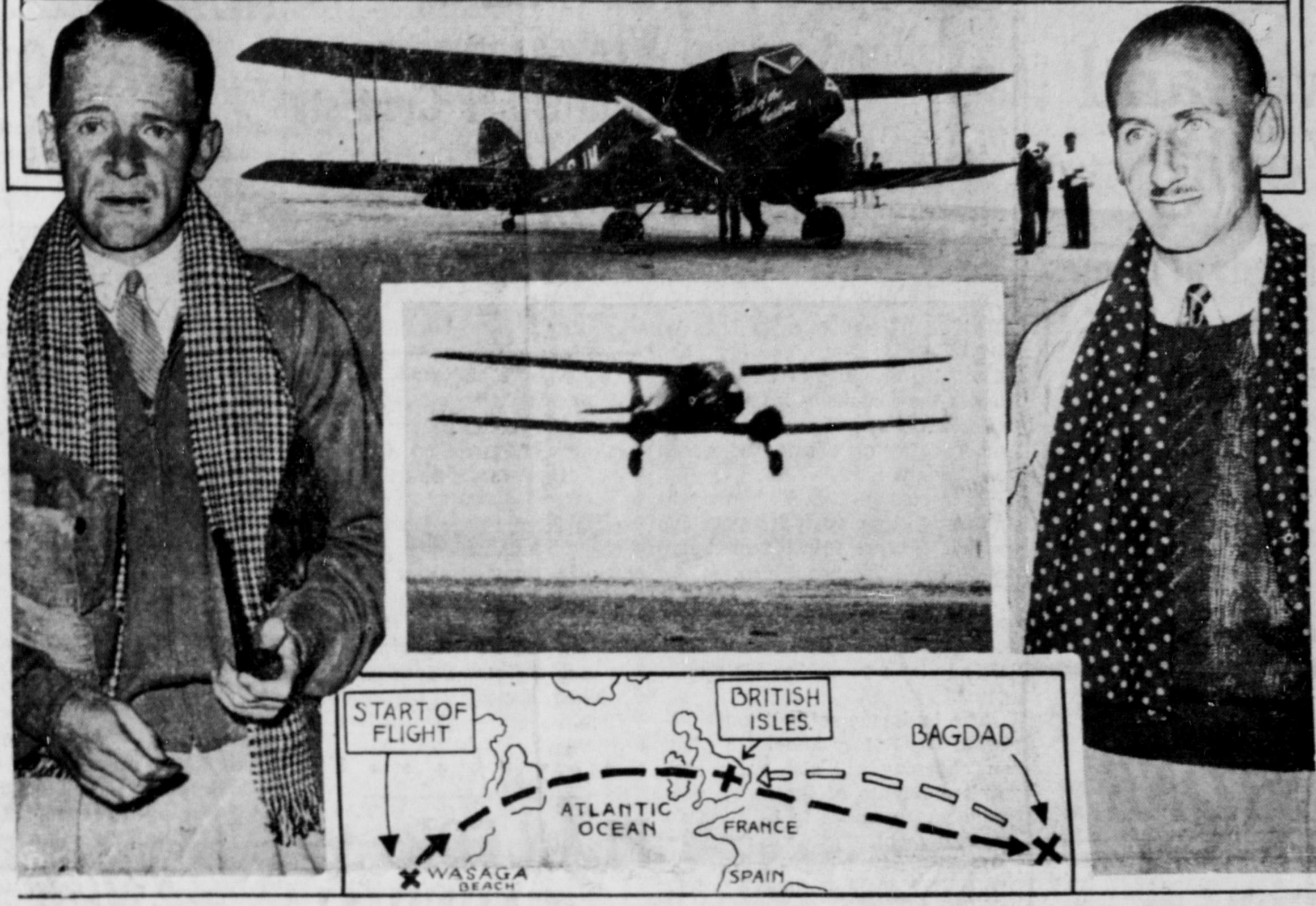
wage order giving them \$12.75 per FORT WILLIAM, Aug. 16:-Hon. week after a year's experience is Duncan Marshall, provincial minwithout justification, Hon. George ister of agriculture, speaking at 8. Pearson, minister of labor, de- the Lakehead Exhibition here, anclares. The minister issued an ap- nounced that the government has beal to all boys thus dismissed to decided to have agriculture taught write him personal letters giving as a part of the public school curriculum in Ontario beginning in the third grade.

#### : Property Owners In States Aided.

For Improvement Work

\* a delicate surgical operation in \* WASHINGTON, D.C., Aug. 16:- \* chukuo, left for Hanking, as a \* which which the which the surgical operation in \* washing to the which the which the surgical operation in \* washing to the which the which the washing to the wa which three stitches were + J. F. T. O'Conner, comptroller of + result of Moscow's rejection of + CHICAGO, Aug. 16:—Marshall placed in the heart muscle. • currency, yesterday approved a plan • the Manchuokuo offer made • Campbell, who once headed a sub-She had been stabbed with an & designed to facilitate the making & through Japan's Foreign Min- & sidiary concern in Samuel Insull's the pick pick. of government issued loans to pro- + ister. · perty owners for alterations, re-\* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* pairs and improvements.

DARING FLIERS WHO CROSSED ATLANTIC



Heading for Bagdad 6,600 miles away, in an attempt to break the world's non-stop long distance record, James Ayling and Leonard Reid pointed the nose of their twin-winged aeroplane-"Trail of the Caribou"-into the rising sun and zoomed away after a long run, landing in England. The take-off had been repeatedly delayed by adverse weather conditions. Six hundred gallons of gasoline brought from England for the attempt, were aboard the ship, and as a good luck token, the fliers carried a miniature Buddha. Top centre, "The Trail of the Caribou," once owned by Captain James and Amy Mollison, as it stood on the sands of Wasaga Beach just before the take-off, and (second) climbing into the air for a perfect start. Lower centre, map of the proposed flight.

# Official Stole Funds of Board

+ Hugh Labatt remained + Rene Langlois, former secretary in the code of a clause prohibiting | in his hotel here today | treasurer of Sanswich East school with \$150,000 in cash as board, was given two years' suslarge sum from board funds.

### Today's Stocks

Toronto

Central Patricia, .93. Granada, .62. Inter. Nickel, 25.10. Noranda, 42.85. Ventures, .94. Lake Maron, .081/4. Teck Hughes, 6.75. Sudbury Basin, 1.55. Smelter Gold, .25. Little Long Lac, 6.75. Astoria Rouyn, .091/2. Maple Leaf, .311/2. Pickle Crow, 1.55. Long Lac Lagoon, .50. Manitoba & Eastern, .35.

#### + MANCHURIAN RAILWAYS

TOKYO, Japan, Aug. 16:- + + the Chinese Eastern Railway + + yesterday when Cheuchi Of- + + ashi, foreign minister of Man- +

# Coverage of Currency By White Metal Would Be Big Help to Trade

Hon. H. H. Stevens Gives His Views on Monetary Matters But is Not in Position to Say What Would Be Policy of Government

VANCOUVER, Aug. 16: (CP)-Any action such as friend. that taken by President Franklin D. Roosevelt of the United States or by any other country in regard to silver is Peasants Clash bound to influence Canada in some measure in her policy towards that metal, Hon. H. H. Stevens, minister of trade and commerce, said in a public address here last night. -What that policy would be he was

moved sluggishly within a narrow

price trend Tuesday with only frac-

was 91.12, off .68; rails, 38.28, off

.38; utilities, 30.22, off .25, and

was dull and colorless.

bonds, 92.29, up .53.

the local foreign exchange.

Polish Family it were possible for leading commercial countries through inter-Is Tortured By Robbing Bandits would be a boon to trade.

WARSAW, Poland, Aug. 16:- QUIET DAY ur masked bandits raided a far-Four masked bandits raided a farmer's home near Cielncho, torturing the owner and his family into surrendering their savings by pouring hot wax on their feet.

#### NEGOTIATIONS STOPPED + Former Official Of Insull Freed

CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 16:—A + Loans to be Made by Government + were broken off indefinitely + Marshall Campbell Acquitted at Chicago on Charges of Embezzlement

• • • on charges of embezzlement.

# Eskimo Sentenced To Five Years In

kimo native of King William Island, Lines. In 1917 he was appointed was found guilty of manslaughter general passenger agent for the here and sentenced to five years' Grand Trunk Pacific Railway and, imprisonment. He was charged with after amalgamation of the western the murder of Aniruak, another na- lines, was named assistant to the tive, following a jealous quarrel passenger traffic manager. over his wife's preference for his

# With Guards In not in a position to say. If, however,

BOGOTA, Colombia, Aug. 16:national agreement to accept silver | Seven persons were killed and more as coverage for their currency, it than twenty injured in a clash between peasants and civil guards

### Western Alaska IN MARKET

NEW YORK, Aug. 16:-Stocks Steamer Starr, Bound From Seward For Peninsula, Ashore on Egg Island

tional changes. The day's business was light with only 530,000 shares changing hands. The list generally steamer Starr, enroute from Seward to the Alaskan Peninsula, is ashore The industrial average at closing on Egg Island.

#### **Funeral Notice**

CANADIAN EXCHANGE + two billion dollar utilities empire, NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—The Cana- place tomorrow (Friday) at 2 o'- a week's vacation. Next week the was found not guilty by a jury here dian dellar closed at \$1.02 9-16 on clock from the parlors of the B. C. King will go to Scotland for grouse Undertakers.

## PASSING OF RAILMAN

W. E. Duperow, Well Known In Prince Rupert, Passes Away In Winnipeg

WINNIPEG, Aug. 16: (CP)-W. E. Duperow, aged 62, assistant to the passenger traffic manager of the Canadian National Railways and for many years general passenger agent for the old Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, passed away here Tuesday night following a long ill-

The late Mr. Duperow, who was one of the best known railwaymen in Western Canada, while identified with the old Grand Trunk Pacific Co., made frequent visits to Prince Rupert in the early days and was very popular here. The station of Perow in the Bulkley Valley was named for him.

Born in Stratford, Ont., September 4, 1872, Mr. Duperow was educated in the schools of that city and entered the service of the Grand Trunk Railway at the age of 21 years, holding various positions until he finally became chief clerk in the district passenger office in Toronto. In 1902 he left the railway for five years during which time he was general manager of the Huntsville, Lake of Bays and Lake Simcoe Navigation Co. at Huntsville, Ont. In 1909 he returned to the Grand Trunk Railway as travelling passenger agent at Toronto and in 1910 he was appointed city passenger and ticket agent of the Grand Trunk Pacific at Victoria, in 1912 becoming general agent at Vancouver. In 1914 he was appointed to the position of assistant general passenger agent at Winnipeg and, when the Canadian Prison For Killing Government Railways took over operation of the transcontinental lines east of Winnipeg in 1915, he COPPERMINE, Northwest Terri- was appointed to the same office ories, Aug. 16: (CP)-Ahigiak, Es- for the Canadian Government

> Married to Annie May Close in 1394, Mr. Duperow is survived, besides his widow, by two sons and one daughter. He was a Protestant, a member of the Masonic craft and a follower of all lines of sport.

### Colombia City French Party To Visit Canada Is Being Named Now

PARIS, Aug. 16:-The National French Commission, organized to participate with other French institutions in celebrating the four hundredth anniversary of Jacques Vessel Strands Cartier's voyage of discovery up the St. Lawrence River, will be named this week. The party will make the rip to Quebec on the palatial French liner Champlain.

#### SEWARD, Alaska, Aug. 16:-The King and Queen At Sandringham; Scotland Next

LONDON, Aug. 16:-King George The funeral of the late Leonard and Queen Mary left London for Sydney John Brewerton will take Sandringham Castle yesterday for shooting. 2 2