

### Today's Weather

Prince Rupert—Raining, light variable wind; barometer, 30.14; temperature, 42; sea smooth.

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### Tomorrow's Tides

High	7:25 a.m.	18.3 ft.
	21:23 p.m.	15.1 ft.
Low	0:50 a.m.	10.3 ft.
	14:31 p.m.	6.8 ft.

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# MACKENZIE WOULD ISSUE NEW MONEY

## HAROLD VERMILYEA CONVICTED OF SLAYING HIS MOTHER

### Radical Monetary Move Is Put Forward By Grit Member From Vancouver

Retirement of Large Block of Canada's National Debt By Turning Out of More Currency, Possibly \$430,000,000, Is Daring Suggestion

OTTAWA, Feb. 26: (CP)—A new and drastic departure in economic affairs was advanced before the House of Commons yesterday by Hon. Ian Mackenzie, Liberal member for Vancouver Centre, who suggested the retirement of a large block of Canada's national debt by a gigantic issue of new money to the possible extent of \$430,000,000. It is one of the most radical monetary proposals ever made in Parliament.

### SCOFFS AT WORLD END

Interesting Series of Sermons Delivered at First United Church By Rev. C. D. Clarke

#### Obsolete Ideas

Books of Daniel and Revelations Interpreted in Interesting Manner—Persecution Discussed

"The Books of Daniel and Revelations in the Light of Modern Knowledge and Common Sense" is the topic of a series of sermons at First United Church by Rev. C. D. Clarke. The first of the series was given a week ago and the second last Sunday.

"Owing to the broadcast of speculative interpretation of these Books I feel impelled to present them in the light of modern knowledge," said Mr. Clarke. "The manner in which the Bible is studied in recognized theological institutions and universities in Canada, Britain, United States, Germany, etc. is not to take the Book as it appears on the surface but to enquire: Why was the Book written? When was it written? Who wrote it? What were the conditions at the time it was written? This necessitates the study of history of Bible times and of the nations of Egypt, Babylon, Assyria, etc. and also the study of archaeology. This is the x-ray method of study. Experts are required to read x-ray pictures and experts are also required to study the Bible and we depend on their discoveries. This method of study makes all the difference between supposition and fact, between the sea-serpent and a basking shark.

"This method of study has revealed different types of literature in the Bible and has determined the approximate dates the different books were written. Toward the close of Old Testament times there arose a type of literature known as 'apocalyptic' or the 'literature of the Apocalypse.' This writing flourished from 200 B.C. to 200 A.D. The Books of Daniel and Revelations belong to this literature. They are tracts for the times in which they were written and not panoramas of future events. They were related to crises and particularly to periods of persecution. They were written to encourage the people to endure and gave hope of deliverance.

"Daniel was written in the year 168 B.C. when the Jews were undergoing persecution at the hands of Antiochus Epiphanes whose aim it was to wipe out Judaism and use the temple for the worship of Zeus. The first half of the Book recounts how Hebrew youths remained true to their religion when in Babylon and how God took care of them. Would He not also care for those who are being persecuted? In the second part of the Book we find history written in the form of prediction. 'The empires of Babylon, Media, Persia and Greece all had their day and came to an end—Antiochus is no exception, he will also fall. There is hope, God's deliverance will come soon!' The little horn at whom the writing was aimed was Antiochus. The transgression of desolation was the erection of the altar to Zeus in the temple in Jerusalem on December 15, 168 B.C. and the offering of swine ten days later. The Book had effect, the Maccabees led a revolt which overthrew Antiochus and restored the worship of Jehovah in Jerusalem."

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### Chloroformed By Uncle Sam



Bats in the belfry, maybe—but fruit-eating bats on Catalina Island—not so good. Two "flying fox" bats from Java were sent to the Catalina bird farm, but fearing that they might escape, multiply and gobble citrus fruits, Uncle Sam ordered them killed.

### Verdict of Guilty is Returned By Jury in Ontario Axe Killing

Passing of Death Sentence Deferred Until Today When May 2 is Set by Presiding Judge, Mr. Justice Nichol

BELLEVILLE, Ont., Feb. 26: (CP)—Harold W. Vermilyea last night was convicted by a jury of the hatchet murder of his seventy-nine year old mother, Mrs. Aurelia Vermilyea. Mr. Justice Nichol deferred passing of the death sentence until today when he set May 2 as the date on which Vermilyea should be hanged. The killing occurred several months ago and Vermilyea was arrested in California a few days after it was perpetrated.

### TOMB IS VISITED

Washington's Birthday Honored By President Franklin D. Roosevelt

WASHINGTON, D.C., Feb. 26:—President Franklin D. Roosevelt visited the tomb of George Washington and laid a wreath thereon in honor of the birthday of the first president.

In Congress there was the traditional reading of the Washington farewell address in observance of the day.

Business throughout the country was suspended and all government offices were closed.

### LIONS WIN OVER HAWKS

Vancouver Back in Tie With Portland For Second Place in Northwest League

VANCOUVER, Feb. 26: (CP)—Vancouver Lions moved back into a tie with Portland Buckaroos for second place in the Northwestern Professional Hockey League standing as a result of a close 3 to 2 victory over the league-leading Seattle Sea Hawks in a hotly-contested game here last night.

### Preliminary Meet On Gymnasium For This City is Held

A preliminary meeting of representatives of interested bodies was held Monday afternoon in the city council chamber to discuss the community hall project. Ways and means were informally discussed, and the representatives will report back to their respective organizations.

Those in attendance were S. J. Jabour, Dr. R. G. Large and W. M. Watts, representing the Gyro Club; Foster Willan, T. J. Williams and Phil Edgcombe, the Junior Chamber of Commerce, and S. D. Johnston, the Rotary Club. Representatives of the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce were unable to be present.

### Shower-Dance For Miss Jean Wilson And Sid Elkins

In honor of Miss Jean Wilson and Sid Elkins, whose marriage is to take place this Saturday, a delightful shower party was held last night by numerous friends of the contracting couple at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Thomson, Fourth Avenue East. Many beautiful gifts were presented and the evening was delightfully spent in dancing. Delicious refreshments were served.

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### Alaska Highway is Still Far From Materialization; Ottawa Minister Says Little Demand

OTTAWA, Feb. 26: (CP)—"So far as I know the matter has not come within the realm of practical politics in the broad sense of the term," Hon. Grote Stirling, minister of national defence, said yesterday in regard to proposed joint action by the United States and Canada to build the Alaska Highway. Outside of the fact that it had been discussed in after dinner speeches and lauded as an excellent proposal, little had been done about it, he said. He was unaware of any general demand in British Columbia for construction of such a highway.

The comment of Mr. Stirling was in connection with dispatches from Washington announcing that the Senate had passed the McNary Bill providing \$2,000,000 for the construction of the Alaska portion of the proposed highway. The bill, similar to one proposed by Delegate Anthony Dimond of Alaska, now before the House at Washington, would also authorize the President to negotiate with Canada to construct its portion of the highway.

### Museum Board Held Meeting Yesterday

The Prince Rupert museum board was in session yesterday afternoon to discuss a number of matters including the Hyde collection of curios. The meeting was held in the Canadian Bank of Commerce and R. L. McIntosh, chairman of the board, presided.

### CREMATION IN SOUTH

The remains of Kanji Fujisaki, Cassiar cannery fisherman, who died yesterday morning while being brought into the city from the Skeena River for hospital treatment, was forwarded this afternoon aboard the steamer Cardena to Vancouver where the funeral will take place with cremation. There was a brief service at Hayner Bros. chapel here with Rev. T. Matsu moto, Japanese missionary, officiating, before the steamer sailed. An inquiry was held yesterday afternoon by Coroner Norman A. Watt, death being found to be due to natural causes.

### BETTY GOW BACK HOME

Returns to Glasgow After Attending Hauptmann Murder Trial

GLASGOW, Feb. 26:—Betty Gow, former nursemaid in the home of Jol. and Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh at Hopewell, N.J., returned to her home here at the week-end from United States where she went to appear as a witness in the Hauptmann murder trial.

To spare her from the curious gaze of thousands who had gathered, she was spirited quietly off the ship on landing at Southampton by police officers and members of the vessel's crew.

Mrs. Gow was met at Southampton by her mother with whom she returned to Glasgow.

### Will Not Repair Wrecked Ferry

Powell River Boat Norsal May Join West Vancouver Fleet

VANCOUVER, Feb. 26:—The motor ferry West Vancouver No. 45, which was sunk in a collision recently with the steamer Princess Alice, will not be repaired, it was announced by the owners yesterday. Repairs would have cost \$12,000.

Officials of the company have made an inspection of the Powell River Co's yacht Norsal with a view to purchase for use as a ferry boat.

### LECTURES COMMENCE

Good Turn-Out Last Night at First Of Dr. Mandy's Discourses

A series of mining lectures for prospectors and all other persons who may be interested in the important industry in any of its phases was opened last night by Dr. Joseph T. Mandy, resident mining engineer, in the city council chamber, about thirty persons being in attendance. The inaugural meeting was opened by City Commissioner W. J. Alder who alluded to the importance of mining to the city of Prince Rupert and in the development of Northern British Columbia.

The Commissioner then turned the meeting over to Dr. Mandy who, at the outset, expressed appreciation of the generous co-operation of Mr. Alder in connection with the making available of quarters for the lectures and in other ways.

Dr. Mandy gave his listeners an interesting history of mining, geology and affiliated subjects. He went into the planetesimal theory of the history of the earth, describing how it had been formed out of and consolidated from a gaseous nebula, originating from the sun from which it had been drawn by attraction by another planetary body. The gradual development of the present condition of the earth was described including the solidification of the sixty mile crust which contained the ore bodies which were to be found from five to fifteen miles from the surface. Dr. Mandy referred to the various processes which had resulted in the sculpturing of the earth to its present shape and then led up to the occurrence of rocks and minerals which will be further gone into at the next lecture.

Dr. Mandy announced that a change had been made from the original plan and that, starting at once, the lectures would be held each Tuesday and Friday evening instead of Monday and Thursday evenings as originally announced.

### JAP CARS ARE CHEAP

Good Motor Manufacturers May Soon Enter World's Markets, Washington Believes

WASHINGTON, D.C., Feb. 26:—The Department of Commerce announces that the Japanese automobile industry is reaching a point where it may soon be a competitor in the foreign markets. The principal attraction of Japanese automobiles is their low gas consumption and their price which is about \$285.

### Mrs. Alice Chisholm Passes in Hospital

Was Sixty-Seven Years of Age and Native of England—Resided On Eighth Avenue

Mrs. Alice Chisholm, who lived on Eighth Avenue near the corner of McBride Street and who had been a patient in the institution since February 7, passed away last night about 10 o'clock at the Prince Rupert General Hospital. She was born in England and was sixty-seven years of age. As far as can be learned, she had no relatives in this country. She has a sister, Mrs. Smith, in Birkenhead, England. Funeral arrangements are in the hands of the B. C. Undertakers.

### Today's Weather

Terrace—Part cloudy, north wind, temperature, 38.  
Anxoy—Part cloudy, calm, 34.  
Stewart—Cloudy, calm, 32.  
Hazelton—Part cloudy, calm, 28.  
Smithers—Part cloudy, calm, frosty.  
Burns Lake—Bright, calm, 17.

### IAN MACKENZIE MOVES WANT OF CONFIDENCE

OTTAWA, Feb. 26: (CP)—Hon. Ian Mackenzie, Liberal member for Vancouver Centre, in the House of Commons last night moved a want of confidence motion against the government charging that it "has not yet submitted any definite or effective policy to deal with unemployment." The debate is continuing.

### AIRPLANE DISASTER

ST. THOMAS, West Indies, Feb. 26:—Mystery surrounds the identity of an airplane which is reported to have burst into flames and plunged into the sea near here at the week-end. The authorities are investigating.

### THIRTY-FOUR PERSONS PERISH IN CAPSIZING OF EXCURSION LAUNCH

CASTRIES, St. Lucia, Feb. 26: (CP)—Six are known to be dead and twenty-eight practically given up as lost following the capsizing of the excursion launch St. George on Sunday three miles off shore. There were seventy-four survivors.