#### Today's Weather

Prince Rupert-Cloudy, southeast wind, 10 miles per hour; barometer, 29.53; temperature, 47 light chop.

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Tomorrow's Tides

6:13 a.m. 20.0 ft. 18:40 p.m. 17.3 ft.

12:34 p.m. 6.7 ft.

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# ANOTHER HOSPITAL BOMBED TODAY

### Swedish Red Cross Station In Ethiopia Raided From Air And All Staff Except Four Killed

### FISHERIES IMPROVED

Commission Chairman Says

VICTORIA, Dec. 31: (CP)-Data collected by the International Pacific halibut fishery after a comparatively few years of control, according to J. P. Babcock, chairman. The catch per unit of gear has gone up almost fifty percent in the last four years and the number of small halibut taken is decreasing, indicating that the fish are getting a chance to mature.

# MALONEY

Man Who Was Arrested Here Com- \* mitted For Trial at Duncan, Vancouver Island

DUNCAN, Vancouver Island, Dec. 31: (CP)—John James Maloney who was arrested in Prince Rupert recently for the local authorities, has been committed for trial here on a charge of obtaining money by Employees of Cold Storage Co. Exfalse pretences by passing a worthless check for \$35 on the Canadian Bank of Commerce here.

A former clergyman, Maloney was at one time head of the Ku Klux afternoon at the plant of the Ca- gangplank of the steamer and, es- Klan in Alberta and for a while at- nadian Fish & Cold Storage Co. as corted by a carload of detectives, Acclamation tracted a good deal of attention on the employees gathered at the gen- drove directly to the Adelphi Hotel. the prairies.

#### EXTORTION IS CHARGED

Rochester Youth Alleged to Have Tried to Get Quarter of Million Dollars Out of Publisher

BUFFALO, N.Y., Dec. 31: (CP)-Roland E. Markell, aged 21, of Rochester, N.Y., was in jail here yesterday on charges of attempting to extort \$250,000 from Frank E. Gannett, publisher of the Gannett newspapers, and Louis A. Wehle, president of the Genesse Brewing Co. of Rochester. Markell is alleged to have written threatening letters.

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#### Huge Expenditure On Boulder Dam

Enormous Project in West Has Cost United States Treasury \$65,000,000 So Far

WASHINGTON, D.C., Dec. 31:-So far no less than \$65,000,000 has been expended on the enormous Boulder Dam power and irrigation project, it is announced.

#### BAR SILVER

price of silver was unchanged again ment and hoped that Mr. Johnson ties were reported. today at 493/4c per ounce.

#### DISCOUNT RATE LOWERED

PARIS, Dec. 31: (CP)—The Bank today from six to five percent.

Ten Italian Machines Figured in Attack, Official Report From Addis Ababa States-Physician in Charge Seriously Wounded and Assistants Hurt

ADDIS ABABA, Dec. 31: (CP)—All but four of thirty-Halibut Situation Much Better, one persons attached to a Swedish Red Cross station near Dolo in Ogaden Province were killed when ten Italian planes bombed their field hospital, it was officially reported today. Dr. Hylander, Swedish physician in charge, was Fisheries Commission indicates a seriously wounded. His assistant, Dr. Smithholm, a nurse distinct improvement in the North and a male attendant were less seriously hurt.

#### + CONSERVATIVES DEFY PREMIER BALDWIN +

LONDON, Dec. 31: (CP)- + \* Ross and Cromarty Conserva- \* + tives openly defied Prime Min- + + ister Stanley Baldwin today + + when their association unani- + \* mously decided to oppose the \* + selection of Malcolm MacDon- + + ald, Secretary for the Domin- + + ions, as government candidate +

press High Esteem For T. H. Johnson-Presentation

eral office in farewell honor of T. The American Importer had ar-H. Johnson, general manager of the rived in the Mersey late yesterday company for twenty-two years, who but did not dock until today. The Only One Nemination in Federal retires today as active head of the famous flying couple evaded newslocal industry.

Shelford Darton, who was in Nicholls, who succeeds Mr. Johnson declined. as general manager, to express the sentiments of the office staff. Col. son's twenty-two years of hard and effective work, which had not been without its worries, as a result of which the company's position to-He wished both Mr. and Mrs. Johnson many happy years of retire-

J. E. Boddie, speaking for the engine room staff, endorsed what EARTHOUAKE Col. Nicholls had said. The stout old ship "C. F. & C. S." had been piloted safely to the port of 1936 by a worthy captain, Mr. Johnson, and it was with regret that fare- Country Where Such Disturbances well was being said to him.

E. Davidson, speaking for the fish packing department, stated that "a good and just boss" was being lost. in the future would be frequently seen in Prince Rupert.

#### Presentation Made

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### \* \* \* \* \* LINDBERGHS LAND TODAY

Famous Couple, Going Abroad During Hauptmann Execution, Arrive at Liverpool

#### Evade Public

+ in the forthcoming by-election. + Betty Gow Declines Bid to Re-enter Service of Family-No Date Set For Clemency Appeal

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 31: (CP)—The Charles A. Lindberghs, declared by nembers of the crew to have left America in order to be absent durng the execution of Bruno Richard Hauptmann for the kidnap-murder of their first son, landed here today from the freighter American Importer after a rough trans-Atlantic trip and went into immediate se-All work ceased at 4:30 yesterday clusion. They dashed down the paper reporters and photographers.

#### Betty Gow Again

charge and presided over the as- GLASGOW, Dec. 31:-Betty Gow, sembly, spoke a few words, refer- who was nursemaid in the Lind- (CP)-Hon. Charles A. Dunning, ring, among other things, to the bergh family when Charles A. minister of finance, was elected by efforts of Mr. Johnson which had Lindbergh jr. was kidnapped and acclamation for Queens yesterday resulted in keeping the plant fully murdered in the spring of 1932, when no other nominations were operating and the staff fully em-said yesterday that she had been made. J. J. Larabee resigned from ployed during the depression. Mr. invited to re-enter the service of the seat in favor of Mr. Dunning. Darton then called upon Col. J. W. the Lindbergh household but had

#### No Date Set

TRENTON, N.J., Dec. 31:-The Nicholls paid tribute to Mr. John- New Jersey State Board of Pardons adjourned yesterday without setting a date for the hearing of the appeal of Bruno Richard Haupt- Police Are Still Seeking Bandits Caleb Milne Is mann for clemency from the death day is stronger than ever before. sentence which has been imposed upon him for the week of January

Are Rare Rocked Yesterday

BERLIN, Dec. 31: (CP)-A large He felt he was expressing the sen- part of Germany, which has not, timents of the shed and freezer been visited by an earth disturstaff when he voiced regrets at Mr. bance in years, was rocked by an Johnson's departure. He wished earthquake yesterday. There was (CP)—President Franklin D. Roose-NEW YORK, Dec. 31: (CP)—The him many years of carefree retire- considerable damage but no casual- velt is expected to deliver his an-

#### NO PAPER NEW YEAR'S DAY

appear on Thursday afternoon.

## PARLIAMENT OPENS FEBRUARY 6

CARRIES ON FOR BRITAIN IN ETHIOPIA



Still carrying out British negotiations in Addis Ababa with Emperor Haile Selassie is Sir Sidney Barton, who is seen here in recent picture with Lady Barton, in front of the beautiful (though now fortified) grounds of the British legation in Addis Ababa.

And Qualicum Beach Goes To

Red Chamber

In Jail; Unable

NEW YORK, Dec. 31:-Unable to

As Chairman Of

the interior.

Joint Commission

raise bail of \$7500, Caleb J. Milne

of Detention here pending trial.

## For Dunning

By-Election in Prince Edward Island

CHARLOTTETOWN, Dec. 31:

#### San Francisco Theatre Robbed North York (Toronto) in the gen- accidental.

Who Got Away With \$2500 Sunday Night

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 31:-Police are still seeking the bandits who held up the United Artists Theatre here on Sunday night and escaped with \$2500.

#### IN GERMANY President's Message IV., charged with attempted ex-To Congress Soon

will be Presented Late This Week Magrath Resigns With Budget on Monday-No St. Lawrence Waterway

nual message to Congress late this OTTAWA, Dec. 31: (CP) week. The budget is scheduled to Charles A. Magrath, chairman of the International Joint Commisbe presented next Monday.

There will be no issue of the The St. Lawrence waterways pro- sion, has resigned and probably Mr. Darton then called upon Jock Daily News tomorrow, New Year's ject will not be presented for rati- will be succeeded by Hon. Charles of France lowered its discount rate Watson, president of the Fish Day. The next regular issue will fication at this session of Congress, Stewart, former Liberal minister of the President announced.

#### Opening Yesterday By Cabinet at Meeting Other Matters of Importance Were Taken up at Gathering of Executive Council Including Appointments

Date Set For Session

OTTAWA, Dec. 31: (CP)—Parliament will open February 6, it was announced today, and not January 30, the date which was announced last week in error. Announce-

ment of the date of the opening of the session followed a meeting of the cabinet yesterday afternoon at which a number of important matters, including the making of appointments, was taken up.

#### SHIP MAY DROWNS IN EXPLODE HAYS CREEK

Miner, Lost Life Last Evening

Ukrainian miner, who has lived be- - The Dutch steamer Taratan, latween Prince Rupert and Anyox den with a cargo of explosives and since 1918, was drowned last eve- with one of her holds afire, was ning in upper Hays Creek within rushing towards this port last ten feet of a shack beyond the end night. Rescue vessels were also of Comox Avenue where he resided speeding outwards to pick up the

with his partner, Alex Bigoff. Macenko was last seen alive about 4:45 in the afternoon at the cabin. When he failed to turn up BIG SLIDE later in the evening, his partner went to look for him. The body was found lying face up in three! feet of water in the creek. The matter was reported to the city police Forty-Five Hundred Yards of Earth

SENATOR at 9:30 p.m. While ender While endeavoring to get a pail of water, it is believed that Macenko! Charles McDonald of Vancouver fell from a low slippery footbridge,

into the shallow creek. OTTAWA, Dec. 31: (CP)—Charles By means of an autopsy it was Seattle in a slide resulting from the McDonald, retired druggist, who ascertained that death had been ecent long spell of rain and warm resides between Vancouver and due to drowning, the lungs being weather. Qualicum Beach, has been appein- full of water. There was a cut on ted to the British Columbia seat the forehead but no fracture. The in the Senate vacated by A. E. blow, however, had probably been Governor Olsen Planta. In 1925 Mr. McDonald gave enough to stun the man. Coroner up his seat in Prince Albert in favor Norman A. Watt investigated the of Premier William Lyon Mackenzie circumstances of the fatality and King who had been defeated in satisfied himself that death was

> Macenko had been unemployed for some time and was on relief. He was not naturalized.

### Vancouver Wheat

VANCOUVER, Dec. 31: (CP)-

Nycholaj Macenko, Unemployed Crew Endangered as Dutch Steamer Takes Fire With Explosives

Nycholaj Macenko, 50-year old PLYMOUTH, Eng., Dec. 31: (CP)

# IN SEATTLE

Comes Down Over One Of Main Roads

SEATTLE, Dec. 31:-Forty-five struck his head on a post, became hundred yards of earth is estistunned and drowned on falling mated to have come down over the nain road between here and West

## Is Under Knife

Chief Executive of Minnesota Having Operation at Mayo Clinic For Stomach Trouble

ST. PAUL, Minn., Dec. 31:--Governor Floyd Olsen, political storm centre in Minnesota of late, left yesterday for Rochester, Minn., to To Raise Bail Wheat was quoted at 871/8c on the undergo a stomach operation at local exchange yesterday. the Mayo Clinic.

### New Year Greetings

We all begin a New Year tomorrow and my hope . and wish is that it may be a happy and prosperous one for the people of Skeena and the whole of Northern and Central British Columbia.

OLOF HANSON.