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Tomorrow's Tides

High 5:05 a.m. 18.2 ft.
18:44 p.m. 14.5 ft.
Low 12:11 p.m. 7.1 ft.

Today's Weather

Prince Rupert—Overcast, light northwest wind; barometer, 29.30; temperature, 33; sea smooth.

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BRITAIN IS CONSOLIDATING DEFENCES

FRANCE MODERATING ITS ATTITUDE NOW

Paris May Not Insist On German Evacuation Of Rhineland Country

League of Nations Council Extends Olive Branch To Hitler and Asks Him to Send Representative To London Meeting to Talk Treaty Obligations

LONDON, March 14: (CP)—France tonight announced its willingness to consider an alternate plan whereby Germany might retain her troops in the Rhineland. This break in the critical European situation came after the council of the League of Nations, in session today, had made a friendly gesture to Germany. The council asked that Reichsfuehrer Adolf Hitler send a representative to London to talk with league representatives who had decided that Germany had violated her treaty obligations.

Said a French spokesman: "We do not want to stick blindly to our insistence upon evacuation of the Rhineland if we can get something better."

Kitzegucla School Teacher is Buried

Funeral of Late Reginald H. Goodridge Took Place on Tuesday With Rites of United Church

The funeral of the late Reginald H. Goodridge, teacher of the Indian school at Kitzegucla village on the Skeena River a short distance west of Hazelton, took place at Hazelton on Tuesday of this week with United Church rites.

Mr. Goodridge had been in ill-health for some time and, becoming worse, he and his son, David Reginald Goodridge, aged 22, set out last Saturday from Kitzegucla for Hazelton by motor. On the way they came to a snow-drift which the car could not pass. They got out but the exertion was, apparently, too much for Mr. Goodridge who expired. An inquest established that death was due to an overstrain of the heart.

Luther League Farce Enjoyed

"Yimmie Yohnson's Yob" Drew Big Crowd to Oddfellows' Hall Last Night

There was a full house at the Oddfellows' Hall last night for the presentation by the Luther League of St. Paul's Lutheran Church of the three-act farce "Yimmie Yohnson's Yob." The plot was an amusing one and was very capably presented by a cast which consisted of Mrs. P. Pedersen, as an Irish cook; Joran Skog, a mischievous kitchen helper; Ingvor Wick, an Irish farm hand; Aslaug Skalland, as a spoiled and selfish foster-daughter; Herbert Larsen, a stern father; Doris Carlsson, an invalid mother; Ray Fossum, as "Yimmie," the raw hired hand from Minnesota; Andrew Dybhavn, as a detective; Tommy Smith, a treacherous clerk, and Signe Johnsen, an unselfish foster-daughter.

Assisting back-stage were Christ Pedersen, Ivor Jonansen and Pete Pederson. Edwin Lindseth presided at the door.

IS TAKING OVER BANK

Resolution at Ottawa Makes Appearance to Implement Election Pledge

OTTAWA, March 14: (CP)—A resolution to enable the government to take over control of the Bank of Canada appeared on today's order paper of the House of Commons. It is sponsored by Hon. Charles A. Dunning, minister of finance, and is designed to implement a pre-election pledge. The resolution indicates that control will be obtained by increasing capital stock rather than by buying shares already in the hands of private investors.

Davie Main Of Porcher Island Dies on Friday

David Main, seven year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Main of Porcher Island cannery, passed away late yesterday afternoon in the Prince Rupert General Hospital after an illness of about a week which started with a knee infection. Born in Vancouver, David came north with his parents about a year ago and had been residing with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gay, 1144 Hays Cove Avenue, while attending Seal Cove School. During the week when the lad's illness became serious, the parents and a smaller son, Donald, were summoned to the city. The boy was a nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Main of Sunnyside.

Funeral arrangements are in the hands of the B.C. Undertakers and interment will take place to-morrow afternoon.

ALBERTA'S BUSINESS CODE IS ANNOUNCED

EDMONTON, March 14: (CP)—Alberta's general maximum code to fix both maximum and minimum prices and binding all classes of retail trade in the province was released yesterday by Hon. E. C. Manning, minister of trade and industry. The code will take effect automatically on April 1.

Advance Guard Leaves For Mount Everest Attempt



The advance guard of a new expedition (the fifth) to unconquered Mount Everest has left London enroute to Tibet, to prepare for the conquest of the world's tallest mountain. The members of the party were photographed departing from the Waterloo station. They are, left to right, Dr. and Mrs. Noel Humphreys, Hugh Rattledge, leader of the expedition, and J. M. D. Gavin of the Royal Engineers.

REPRIEVE UNLIKELY

Little Possibility of Hauptmann Escaping Chair This Time—Governor's Deadline Expires

TRENTON, New Jersey, March 14:—With the deadline, by which time it was generally regarded he would have granted a further stay if it was intention to do so at all, having expired, Governor Harold Hoffman has announced that there will be no further reprieves as far as he is concerned for Bruno Richard Hauptmann who is under sentence to be electrocuted the week of March 30 for the kidnap murder four years ago of baby Charles Augustus Lindbergh Jr. Of course, should there be some important new developments and there appears at this time to be no particular reason to expect any, this might be changed.

Dr. J. F. (Jafsie) Condon, principal witness against Hauptmann is due back next Tuesday from his extended vacation trip to Panama. C. Lloyd Fisher, chief counsel for Hauptmann, has been pressing for Condon's indictment on perjury charges but Hoffman is known to be reluctant to have Condon indicted.

Surprise Witness For Prosecution In Lamson Trial

SAN JOSE, Cal., March 14:—The prosecution is said to have a "surprise witness" for rebuttal in the fourth trial of David A. Lamson, former Stanford University executive, who is charged with the murder of his wife.

Funeral Notice

The funeral of the late David Main will take place tomorrow (Sunday) at 2:30 p.m. from the Chapel of the B.C. Undertakers.

CHECKED BY COLD

Flood Conditions in Eastern Canada Somewhat Relieved—At Least 13 Lives Lost

TORONTO, March 14: (CP)—Lower temperatures today aided in keeping in check flood waters that had been causing land and snow slides, taking a heavy toll of lives and property damage in Eastern Canada during the past twenty-four hours.

Eleven lives were lost in angry waters that tore through little wooden homes in a district fifty miles northeast of Quebec City.

One life was lost in Ontario and one in Nova Scotia.

Damage in the famous Annapolis fruit growing valley of Nova Scotia is estimated at \$500,000.

Ontario reported widespread damage with \$100,000 at Belleville, the most seriously hit spot.

ONTARIO DEFICIT

Expected However, To Be Turned To Surplus Next Year—Relief Costs To Be Away Down

ONTARIO, March 14: (CP)—In the budget presented to the Ontario Legislature, Premier Mitchell Hepburn announces a deficit for the fiscal year of \$13,000,000, budgeting, however, for a \$500,000 surplus next year. Relief costs for the present year have been \$20,000,000 but next year it is estimated they will be but \$4,600,000.

STORY HOUR DISCONTINUED

Due to the prevalence of an epidemic of colds in the city, the Children's Story Hour has been discontinued for the remainder of the season.

Vancouver Wheat

VANCOUVER, March 14: (CP)—Wheat was quoted at 83½c on the Vancouver Exchange today.

GOOD START FOR MUSEUM

Seventeen New Members Joined Voluntarily Since Opening Of Campaign on Thursday

Since the opening of the campaign on Thursday seventeen new members have sent in their applications along with the dollar membership fee. So far none have made larger donations which the worthiness of the cause might suggest.

The committee in charge of the campaign feels sure the response to the appeal will be much larger when they realize what it means to the city to have a real museum such as that planned. There is its value to the people of the city and as an attraction to tourists and travellers.

The Junior Chamber of Commerce asks that contributions be sent in so that the members may not have to undertake the disagreeable task of personal canvassing. The young men are keen on putting this over and they are asking the help of every citizen.

Implement Price Boost is Being Investigated

OTTAWA, March 14: (CP)—The agricultural committee of the House of Commons will investigate an increase in the price of agricultural implement prices which has been announced. Pending the investigation it has been suggested that the increase should not be put into effect.

The regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of the Prince Rupert General Hospital was held last night in the hospital. Those present were: W. M. Brown, chairman; S. D. Macdonald, F. S. Walton, G. V. Wilkinson, G. P. Tinker, and Dr. J. H. Carson, directors; H. W. Birch, managing director, and Miss Jean Harrison R.N., lady superintendent.

Sir Thomas Inskip Is Chosen by Baldwin To Direct Arms Expansion

Attorney General Takes Special New Cabinet Post—Will Be Duty to Harmonize Activities of Navy, Army and Air Force

LONDON, March 14: (CP)—Sir Thomas Inskip, Attorney General, has been chosen by Prime Minister Stanley Baldwin for the ministerial post created to supervise the tremendous expansion of defence forces of the United Kingdom. It will be Sir Thomas' duty to bring into harmony activities of the navy, army and air force.

McAVOY BEATEN

Britisher Decided by Arizona Negro But Put Up Game Fight

NEW YORK, March 14: (CP)—John Henry Lewis, Arizona negro, successfully defended his world's heavyweight championship title at Madison Square Garden last night by decisively outpointing Jack McEvoy, the British challenger, in fifteen rounds.

Lewis' heavier weight told on McEvoy and, starting about midway through the engagement, the Britisher began to tire visibly. However, he stuck gamely to it and made a showing which evoked admiration.

TODAY'S STOCKS

(Courtesy S. D. Johnston Co.)
Vancouver
B. C. Nickel, .30.
Big Missouri, .64.
Bralorne, 6.75.
B. R. Con., .04½.
B. R. X., .12½.
Dentonia, .19.
Dunwell, .03¾.
Golconda, .18.
Minto, .38.
Morning Star, .02.
National Silver, .03.
Noble Five, .04½.
Premier, 2.25.
Reno, 1.10.
Relief Arlington, .37.
Salmon Gold, .09½.
Taylor Bridge, .10.
Wayside, .18½.

Toronto
Bidgood Kirkland, .79.
Beattie, 1.45.
Central Pat., 2.80.
Chibougamau, .43.
Gods Lake, 1.12.
Granada, .19½.
Inter'l Nickel, 48.25.
Lake Maron, .05.
Little Long Lac, 6.70.
Macassa, 3.89.
McKenzie Red Lake, 1.36.
Naranda, 47.50.
Perron, 1.28.
Red Lake Gold Shore, .93.
San Antonio, 2.90.
Sico, 3.02.
Smelters Gold, .06.
Stadacona, .30.
Sturgeon River, .38.
Sudbury Basin, 4.10.
Teck Hughes, 4.55.
Ventures, 2.09.
Sherritt Gordon, 1.13.

Owing to small attendance on account of the boat owners and fishermen being otherwise engaged in connection with the last minute rush prior to the opening of the season, the meeting at which Dr. Robert H. Bedford of the Prince Rupert Fisheries Experimental Station was to have discussed matters of preservation of fish was abandoned last night.

SETTLEMENT SEEMS NEAR

Strike of Building Service Workers In New York is Expected To End Soon

NEW YORK, March 14:—A settlement appears imminent in the building service workers strike here which has tied up janitorial and elevator services in many of the city's most important buildings for the past two weeks, causing widespread inconvenience and considerable hardship. The one stumbling block now appears to be that of reinstatement.

Stocks Continue Their Reaction

European Situation is Still Upsetting New York Trading With Downward Trend

NEW YORK, March 14:—Stocks continued to react to the European situation on the New York Exchange Thursday. Closing averages were: Industrials, 153.13, off 3.12; rails, 47.06, off 1.76; utilities, 31.41, off .90, and bonds, 102.15, off .37.

Ellsworth Due At Honolulu Monday

Wife of Famous Explorer Will Be Reunited to Him Next Week

HONOLULU, March 14:—Lincoln Ellsworth, famous American explorer and airman, who with Herbert Hollick-Kenyon, British Columbia aviator, had been recently missing for several weeks in Antarctica and almost given up for lost, is due to arrive here next Monday aboard the liner Mariposa. His wife is here to meet him.

Today's Weather

Dead Tree Point—Cloudy, light westerly wind; barometer, 29.38; temperature, 30; light swell.
Triple Island—Overcast, fresh north northwesterly wind; barometer, 29.38; westerly swell, sea choppy.
Langara Island—Part cloudy, moderate northwest wind; moderate swell.
Terrace—Rain to snow, calm, 34.
Anyox—Clear, calm, 32.
Stewart—Clear, calm, 30.
Hazelton—Cloudy, calm, 30.
Smithers—Snowing, calm, cool.
Burns Lake—Snowing, calm, 20.

POUND IN MONTREAL

MONTREAL, March 14: (CP)—The British pound sterling was quoted at \$4.97¼ here yesterday.