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## Today's Weather

Prince Rupert—Clear, light northerly wind; barometer, 29.93; temperature, 15; sea smooth.

## Tomorrow's Tides

High ..... 11:30 a.m. 20.7 ft.  
Low ..... 5:28 a.m. 8.4 ft.  
18:14 p.m. 3.2 ft.

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# Gerry Is On Warpath At Ottawa

## New Alliance In Europe Proposed

Italy, Germany and Austria Said to be Getting Together To Offset Russo-Franco-British Movement

FLORENCE, Italy, Feb. 19: (CP)—According to a high authority here the countries of Europe are dividing into two camps. Italy, Germany and Austria are formulating a three-point agreement to offset the talk of alliances between Britain and Russia and also between France and Russia.

LONDON, Feb. 19:—The proposed alliance of Italy, Germany and Austria came as no surprise here as it has been known that these countries have been moving in that direction. It will probably not affect the present situation insofar as the war in Ethiopia or the League of Nations are concerned.

## To Approve Farm Relief

Measure Replacing Triple A Expected to Pass Congress By Friday of This Week

WASHINGTON, D.C., Feb. 19:—The administration's farm program, replacing the invalidated Agricultural Adjustment Act, is expected to be passed by the House of Representatives by Friday. It provides \$500,000,000 annually to assist the farmers in soil conservation measures, etc. Already the Senate has overwhelmingly approved the measure which is assured of the presidential signature.

## Emergency Operation

SMITHERS, Feb. 19:—Miss Muriel Fowler, daughter of A. C. Fowler of the Smithers Lumber Yard, was rushed to the local hospital Monday for an operation for acute appendicitis. The operation was performed by Dr. Brummitt and the patient is doing well.

## BAR SILVER

NEW YORK, Feb. 19: (CP)—Bar silver was unchanged at 44 3/4 per ounce on the local metal market today.

## Senate Approves Extension of U.S. Neutrality Bill

WASHINGTON, D.C., Feb. 19:—The Senate yesterday agreed to the extension of the United States neutrality bill, which has an important bearing on the League of Nations sanctions against Italy in connection with the Italo-Ethiopian campaign, from February 29 until May 1.

## Some Sub-Colors Of Royal Purple

British Color Council Names Variety For Semi-Mourning

LONDON, Feb. 19: (CP)—In response to requests for guidance, the British Color Council states that for royal ceremonial occasions the correct colors are royal purple and silver grey.

Royal purple is, however, a somewhat difficult color to wear, and for semi-mourning the following colors may be substituted: Amythyst, plum and egg plant. It is probable that these colors, together with black and white, will continue to be used for accessories after the period of national mourning.

## HERDS NOT DEPLETED

Northern Pilot Says Cariboo Still Numerous and Natives and Trappers Must Hunt Them to Live

PRINCE ALBERT, Feb. 19: (CP)—Belief that there is no danger hunters may soon exterminate northern cariboo is expressed by Walter E. Gilbert, northern airplane pilot, who says in recent flights from Fort Smith, N.W.T., to Cameron Bay on Great Bear Lake he passed over hundreds of thousands of the animals.

"To people living on the true fringe of the Barren Lands of the Arctic," says pilot Gilbert in a letter to the Prince Albert Herald, "the annual appearance of the cariboo means a certain food supply for the long, bitter winter. A non-appearance of the herd may easily mean starvation and death."

The herds, moving over the northern wastes, take no definite course, and their wanderings are followed closely by native and white hunters. Although their habitat comprises two-thirds of Canada's area, says the airman, a population less than that of Saskatchewan is dependent on them for a livelihood.

Wolves, he claimed, are responsible for far more cariboo slaughter than hunters. When conservation becomes necessary, he says, "the first step will be to 'wage war against these killers.'"

Referring to the present size of herds, the airman remarks "I have seen winters, when for full three months on end, one might fly the 600 miles from Fort Smith to Cameron Bay, and beyond, and be ever in sight of teaming herds of these animals. Short flights to the edge of the barrens showed equal tens and hundreds of thousands of grazing animals." These herds, he adds, form but one of at least three major bodies of cariboo.

## VICTIM OF FAME

SPEEN, Eng., Feb. 16: (CP)—Ramsay, a dignified cat who slept for years beside the fireplace of Ye Old Plow Inn disappeared when souvenir hunters took their toll after Miss Ishbel McDonald, daughter of the former prime minister, bought the inn as a social venture.

## BIG HAUL OF GOLD MADE FROM BANK IN NEW YORK BY POLICE

NEW YORK, Feb. 19:—Under orders of the Treasury Department, police officers entered a New York bank yesterday and seized \$200,000 in gold from the safety deposit of a customer of the bank whose name was not revealed. The gold, it is alleged, was being held in violation of the federal anti-hoarding laws. The law provides for the hoarding of gold the penalty of forfeiture of the metal and a fine of twice its value.

## DROWN IN LAKE NEAR VICTORIA

Harry Green and Miss Jessie Anderson Thought to Have Gone Through Ice at Langford

VICTORIA, Feb. 19: (CP)—Harry Green, Nanaimo-Victoria bus driver, 50 years of age, and Jessie Anderson, 25, a government stenographer, are believed to have been drowned while skating at Langford Lake last night. Their tracks were found leading to a hole in the ice after they failed to return to the skating party by their companions. Dredging operations commenced today.

## Charlie Chaplin Is To Make Two Pictures Yearly

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 19:—On his way to Honolulu for a holiday, Charlie Chaplin, veteran screen comedian, was here yesterday. He announced that it was his intention in future to produce two pictures a year.

## COASTGUARD TO RESCUE

TRAVERSE CITY, Mich., Feb. 19:—A United States coastguard vessel was speeding yesterday to the rescue of fifty people stormbound without food and fuel on South Manitoulin Island.

## ITALIANS CELEBRATE

Students in Rome and Elsewhere Stage Demonstrations Over Victory—Big Vote For Campaign

ROME, Feb. 19:—Students here and elsewhere throughout Italy staged mass celebrations yesterday of the reported great victory over Ethiopia in the East African war. These celebrations were in spite of Ethiopian statements denying any great victory, which statements, of course, did not get much publicity in this country.

The Fascist government yesterday voted \$125,000,000 to carry on the campaign in Ethiopia, \$93,000,000 going direct to the army, navy and air force.

## Wedding of Terry Orme in Portland

Miss Margaret Grenvener of Rose City is Bride of Well Known Local Young Man

Announcements received in the city tell of the marriage at St. Mary's Cathedral in Portland, Oregon on February 1 of Terence B. Orme, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Orme, to Miss Margaret Grenvener of Portland. The groom is one of Prince Rupert's best known and popular boys and this city has been his life-long home. He is at present attending dental college in Portland. The bride is a nurse.

## Japanese Lost Life at Mills

Provincial Police local headquarters have received word from Ocean Falls of the death there of George Migita, Japanese, in No. 1 chip bin of the sulphate department of the Pacific Mills. An inquest will be held tomorrow morning.

## BRITAIN'S MOTORCARS

LONDON, Eng., Feb. 19: (CP)—Roughly there is one motorcar for every 19 persons in the United Kingdom, and one driving licence for every 14 persons.

## REDUCTION OF TRANSPACIFIC STEAMSHIP SUBSIDY IS NOT APPROVED BY MAYOR McGEER

OTTAWA, Feb. 19: (CP)—Reduction of \$149,000 in the subsidy for trans-Pacific steamship service proposed in the estimates of Hon. W. D. Euler, minister of trade and commerce, drew the criticism of Mayor G. G. McGeer, member for Vancouver-Burrard, in the House of Commons last night. Mr. McGeer said that it was false economy and that the government had failed to realize the importance of Pacific shipping to the rising power of Japanese commerce in an area where Canada should play a large part.

Mr. Euler replied that he was prepared to retrace his steps and increase the subsidy should he be convinced that he was wrong. He had no intimation from the steamship company, however, that the reduction would result in an impairment of service.

Mayor McGeer accused the government of economizing by cutting down on a "rather niggardly subsidy." "We are not going to help the minister of finance obtain taxes in that way," he said. "We are not going to help the cities of Vancouver, Victoria and Prince Rupert nor the provinces of Alberta and British Columbia obtain taxes in that way."

Leadership of the British Empire was being challenged on the Pacific and it was up to Canada, in its own interest, to play a part in maintaining it, Mr. McGeer said.

## Fishing Vessel Towed to Port

Miss America Picked up by Coastguard and Taken Safely To San Diego

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 19:—After sending out distress signals following being disabled in a storm, the fishing vessel Miss America was towed safely to this port by the United States coastguard yesterday.

## Vancouver Wheat

VANCOUVER, Feb. 19: (CP)—Wheat was quoted here today at 81 1/2¢ a bushel.

## New Execution Date is Fixed

Week of March 30 to be Time When Bruno Hauptmann Will Go to Chair

FLEMINGTON, N.J., Feb. 19:—Justice Trenchard automatically signed a new death warrant today providing for the electrocution of Bruno Richard Hauptmann, kidnap-murderer of the Lindbergh baby, following expiry of the reprieve of Governor Harold Hoffman last Saturday. It is decided the new execution date will be March 30 week. It is the third execution date to be set following the conviction. Virtually the only hope for further delay lies in a second reprieve which is extremely unlikely.

## Today's Weather

Dead Tree Point—Part cloudy, calm; barometer, 29.96; temperature, 23; sea smooth.  
Triple Island—Part cloudy, moderate northerly wind; barometer, 29.90; small chop.  
Langara Island—Light snow, moderate northeast wind; sea choppy.  
Terrace—Clear, calm, 2 below.  
Anyox—Clear, calm, 6 below.  
Stewart—Clear, calm, 13 below.  
Hazelton—Clear, calm, 28 below.  
Smithers—Clear, calm, cold.  
Burns Lake—Clear, calm, 32 below.  
Yukon—22 to 45 below.

## KING'S VOICE IN STEEL

LONDON, Feb. 19: (CP)—The last Christmas message of King George V, together with his Jubilee messages are recorded on steel tape in the vaults of the British Broadcasting Corporation but will be used again only with permission of the royal family.

## Informal Camera Scenes in Life of King Edward VIII When He Was Prince of Wales



His hobby is horseback riding. At annual hunt at Leicestershire.



At U. S.-Canadian boundary, Buffalo, N.Y. Long Island, 1924



On the golf links, London, England



Impersonating flapper aboard ship, 1925



Royal greeting from the prince, Lancaster, England, 1930