

Today's Weather (8 A.M.)

Prince Rupert-Raining, fresh southeast wind, 20 miles per hour; bare eter, 29.98 (rising); sea

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Tomorrow's Tides

8:38 a.m. 20.4 ft. 21:35 p.m. 17.0 ft. 1:54 a.m. 15:14 p.m. 5.7 ft.

PRINCE RUPERT, B.C., TUESDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1936

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RADIO BROADCAST PLANS IN CANADA

HONOR OF FORMER KING IS QUESTIONED Five Regional Control

Outspoken Words of Archbishop Of York; Speaks on Abdication

Should Have Made Decision Before Awakening Love For Another Man's Wife Developed Into Passion, High Churchman Declares

YORK, Eng., Dec. 22: (CP)-The Archbishop of York broke his silence on the abdication of King Edward VIII and in words even more outspoken than those of the Archbishop of Canterbury which drew fire of sections of the press and Parliament implied that the former monarch's decision would not have been made by a man of honor. "It has happened that many a

nan before has found himself be-

ginning to fall in love with an-

other man's wife," declared the

OTTAWA BURNED TO

blamed for a blaze which kill-

day. Two other children and +

ther was taken to hospital suf-

from the house, carrying the

War Vessel Construction-

United States Second

LONDON, Dec. 22:-Great Bri-

second with 83 ships building.

MALE CHOIR 50 YEARS OLD

dren in London are to have a holi-

day from May 12 to 18 inclusive for

LONDON, Dec. 22: (CP)-Chil-

39; Japan, 38.

+ baby, Bernardette.

DEATH IN HOME FIRE &

CONFERENCE CONCLUDED

Inter-American Peace Parley At Buenos Aires Ended Yesterday

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 22:-The by men of honor." Inter-American Peace Conference concluded yesterday with the final + + + + + + plenary session when final adoption was given before adjournment + FIVE CHILDREN IN to numerous resolutions which had it been passed during the sessions of the past few weeks. Delegates are leaving today on their return to + OTTAWA, Dec. 22: (CP)-An their homes. The American dele- + overheated stove, setting fire + gates, of course, will be unable to + to an unprotected wall, was + get home in time for Christmas.

Salvation Army Theatre Matinee

Every Seat Taken and Number Unable to Gain Admittance Yesterday

There was a great time at the Salvation Army food matinee at the Capitol Theatre yesterday afternoon. All seating capacity was taken and still the children came with their tins and parcels for the Christmas Cheer fund. Many of those who were unable to get into Great Britain Leading World In an Anglican. the building left their donations at the door. It was a wonderful crowd ! and the program the children enjoyed was a good one. The donations included 746 cans of goods and a quantity of miscellaneous; parcels. The donations constituted, a new high record. At the beginning of the show Major Eva Laycock spoke briefly, expressing appreciation to the theatre staff and all those who had made donations as well as extending seasonal

greetings to all. Further donations received by the Army outside of the theatre effort included two cases of canned salmon from Dybhavn & Hanson, coal from Albert & McCaffery and male choir of 50 voices, has mainfrom Philpott, Evitt & Co. Further,

cash donations include:	here for almost half a century. It is the oldest male choir in Canada, the second oldest on the Pacific Coast and has to date given 112
Previously acknowledged\$210.50	is the oldest male choir in Canada,
Jeanne and John 2.00	the second oldest on the Pacific
Santa 5.00	Coast and has to date given 112
S. D. Johnston 5.00	concerts. The club is partly sup- ported by its associated members through subscription to tickets to
A. J. A. 1.00	ported by its associated members
Friend 1.00	through subscription to tickets to
G. A. Bryant 10.00	concerts.
Kincolith Preceptory	
Knights Templar, No. 59 5.00	
	- ac. (CD) Chil

BIRTH NOTICE

There was born to Mr. and Mrs. the Coronation, according to plans Wm. McLeod at the Prince Rupert drawn up by the Education Com-General Hospital on Sunday, De- mittee of the London County Council. cember 20, at 7:30 p.m., a son.

NO BREAK IN SIGHT

Hopes For Early End of Shipping Tie-up Dimmed by Latest

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 22: (CP) -Hints of extension of the maritime unions' "united front" to include the Atlantic and Gulf port strikers dimmed prospects today for an immediate break of the shipping blockade.

As the costly tie-up entered its fifty-fourth day Harry Lundeberg head of the Sailors' Union of the Pacific, indicated that a membership vote on a tentative agreement with the ship-owners may be deferred indefinitely.

Archbishop. "That is the moment of critical decision and the right de-cision is that they should cease to PROMINENT meet before the passion has so de-IN FERNIE veloped as to create an agonizing conflict between love and duty.

That decision has often been taken Sherwood Herchmer Was Mayor Of Crow's Nest Pass Town For Two Years

> 22: — Sherwood Herchmer, barrister and solicitor of 135 years' standing here, was one of the best known of Fernie' citizens. He was an ex-mayor of the city! and had served the public in numerous other ways.

Mr. Herchmer was born in Winnipeg in 1877, the son of L. W. ed five children here early to- Herchmer who in his day was pro- United Kingdom and in the Do- tional Guard yesterday. There was FINGLAND WINS SECOND minent in the Royal Canadian minions beyond the seas. the parents escaped. The mo- Mounted Police. He was educated The people have always loved Joe Livermore and A. Haid. Ground at St. John's School and College in "the little Duchess" because she is parties have been sent to the spot fering from severe burns, Winnipeg. Called to the Northwest so sweet and friendly and wholly today. bruises and shock. The dead Territories bar in 1899, he came to unassuming — as unspoiled and are Romeo Giroux, Cecile, + Fernie in 1901, was called to the lovely as the heather blossoms British Columbia bar and had prac- from her own home highlands of F Jeanne. The father rushed + tised here ever since. He served Scotland. They sometimes called with the First Canadian Mounted her "the smiling Duchess," too, for Rifles in the South African War in she has a winsome smile—a real 1902 and was in the engagements smile of warmth that comes from of Johannesburg, Sand River and the heart-for everybody, whether Diamond Hill, winning a bar and they be humble folk or great per- | Sianfu for ten days. four clasps. In 1909 and 1910 Mr. sonages. Herchmer was mayor of Fernie. He | Elizabeth comes from a long line married Edith Catherine McDon- of aristocracy herself, but her attiald in 1905 and they had one son. tude towards life has given the urer Charles Cocroft announces His recreations were curling and impression that she had stowed; tennis. He was a Conservative and away in her pretty head the for the federal government to loan

Today's Weather (Government Telegraphs)

tain is leading the world today in naval building, it was disclosed southeast wind, 10 miles per hour; She never has put on any airs, and Charles C. Ross, minister of mines, yesterday. She has 99 war vessels, moderate chop.

Langara Island-Cloudy, show-people. of different types under construction. United States comes ery; barometer, 29.83; temperature, Her husband, now the King, al-40; easterly wind, 4 miles per hour; ways has been like that, too. One Other nations are building light swell.

warships in the following order. Italy, 64; France, 43; Germany, southeast wind; barometer, 29.78; in which boys of all classes are posure. She had been drinking cussed. temperature, 40; sea moderate. I thrown together and made to like Sergeant Cline of Smithers is in-

VICTORIA, Dec. 22: (CP)-Organized in 1892, the Arion Club, a 16 miles per hour; barometer, 29.64. 13 years the Duchess has worked tained an uninterrupted career

here for almost half a century. It 29.10. s the oldest male choir in Canada, he second oldest on the Pacific 29.52.

Terrace-Cloudy, calm, 30 Hazelton-Cloudy, calm. 22. Burns Lake-Bright, calm, 21. Aiyansh-Cloudy, calm, 26. Alice Arm-Cloudy, calm, 27. Anyox-Cloudy, calm, 27 above. Stewart-Cloudy, calm, 26.

Vancouver Wheat

VANCOUVER, Dec. 22: (CP)— she has lived in palaces. Wheat was quoted at \$1.221/8 on the Vancouver market today.

QUEEN IS FULL TIME SHOP WORK

Elizabeth Popular With All Folk-Has Worked Long in Welfare And is Good Mother

Puts on No Airs

Unspoiled and Lovely as Heather Of Her Native Land

NEW YORK, Dec. 22: (AP)-Elizabeth, the new Queen, is a prime favorite of all classes both in the

FINE WOMAN



QUEEN ELIZABETH

thought that if a member of the Alberta \$600,000 at three percent pleed red blood, just like any or- costs. linary mortal, and not the blue blood one might expect from delv-Triple Island-Overcast, showers; ing into books about the peerage. that gets her a long way with the has resigned are current but he neutral observers express the opin- Cuba's "strong man," Col. Batista,

of the achievements he is proud of Dead Tree Point—Raining, fresh is his sponsorship of a boys' camp, dian woman, is dead here of ex- gents at Christmas is being dis-Prince George-Clear, southerly it. As Duke he never was happier vestigating. wind, 10 miles per hour; barometer, than when in a camp outfit, mix-

ling with these youngsters. Victoria-Raining, westerly wind, Throughout their married life of & DR. PHIL EDWARDS Vancouver-Raining, southerly with her husband among the poor wind, 10 miles per hour; barometer, in such labors of love. They have made a great pair and have de-Estevan-Clear, calm, barometer, voted much time to such altruistic

enterprises. Charming and Sensible

In her private home life Eliza-Smithers—Part cloudy, calm, 22. beth, who is a charming and gra- will receive the Amateur Ath- here on Sunday when the royal hour period ending 5 p.m. tomorrow). cious figure in a drawing room, + letic Union's silver award. has presented a picture of a good . Scottish housewife, with all the uary 7. common sense of her race. One suspects she got a deal of inspiration from her royal mother-in-law. Queen Mary, who is one of the best

> Queen Mary always has been ex-(Continued on page five.)

Important Announcement Made By Head of Canadian National Railways

MONTREAL, Dec. 22: (CP)-Full time operations will be inaugurated in the main shops of the Canadian National Railways at the beginning of the New Year, it is announced by S. J. Hungerford, president and chair-

man of the board of directors. "Starting from the first of the the working hours of the present year," Mr. Hungerford said.

Late Telegraphs

COPPER PRICE UP

raised the price of copper for do- years. mestic use to 115/8c per pound today! from lic. The new quotation is the E. Gladstone Murray, will speak replacing the prescribed sevenhighest since June 1930. LOST PLANE FOUND

the air mail plane bound from Chi- the committee. cago to Seattle missing since last Friday morning, was located fifteen | miles southeast of here by the Na- + no sign, however, of the two pilots,].

RANSOM DEMANDED

NANKING-Efforts are being made between his wife and the runs. government to raise a huge ransom demanded by his Communist captors for the return of General Chiang Kai-Shek, Chinese dictator, who has been held captive at Sianfu for ten days.

ALBERTA GETS LOAN

EDMONTON-Provincial Treasthat arrangements have been made war Continues in Spain Despite nobility cut his finger he would nterest to assist in meeting relief

MINISTER RESIGNS

EDMONTON - Reports that neither affirms or denies them.

INDIAN WOMAN DIES

CANADA'S GREATEST ATHLETE, DECIDED 4

TORONTO, Dec. 22: (CP) - + + Dr. Phil Edwards, Olympic +

CELL THREAT FOR DOCTOR SWANSEA. Wales, Dec. 22: (CP)

expenses before taking the oath. the Lincolnshire Regiment.

Centres Are to be Set Up; To Improve Service

"Religious Wars" to be Banned-Programs to be Distinctively Canadian—General Manager Speaks Tonight

OTTAWA, Dec. 22: (CP)-Establishment of five regional control centres for Canadian broadcasting services, initiation of an engineering program to complete and improve coverage and a ban on "religious wars" on the air were announced by the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation after a meeting of the board of governors today.

Regional areas will be set up in, New Year main shops will be op-erated on a forty-hour week schedule, which increase is approximately twenty percent over | upon a distinctively Canadian program scheme. Co-operative relations with commercial broadcasting will be established and intimate Industry Speeded up With Working contact will be maintained with listeners. It will also be endeavored to lengthen the daily time on the

A plan will be worked out for the improving and extending of cover-NEW YORK-Principal producers age during the next three to five

The general manager, Major W over Corporation stations at 10:30 hour day. p.m. (7:30 p.m. Pacific Standard Time) today, outlining progress KELLOGG. Idaho-Wreckage of made to date and the decisions of

TEST CRICKET MATCH +

SYDNEY, Aust., Dec. 22: + + (CP)—England made it two + straight over Australia by win- + ring the second test cricket match by an innings and 21 +

Cold Weather-Christmas Exchange of Prisoners

try weather, fighting continues in ouster vote came at the close of the Spanish civil war with both an all night session, the House, sides claiming victories although by its action, showing support of lion that the situation is pretty well who sponsored the bill. deadlocked.

BURNS LAKE-Mary Bruce, In- tween the government and insur- for army taught rural schools.

First Legal Step Of Juliana Taken

THE HAGUE, Netherlands, Dec 22:- The first official step prerunner, was chosen leading + paratory to the marriage of Prin-* Canadian athlete of last year + cess Juliana to Prince Bernard couple signed the marriage regis- A storm is still prevailing off the ter. The wedding takes place Jan- Queen Charlotte Islands causing

SEVEN V.C.'S AT FUNERAL -Justice Swift at Glamorgan As- Seven Australian winners of the with rain, probably turning to housekeepers in England, even if sizes threatened Dr. E. R. Griffiths Victoria Cross in the War attended snow. of Barry with a day in the cells the funeral of Sergeant Arthur! West Coast of Vancouver Island

WAR BASIS

Hours Doubled-Warships To Protect Shipping

MOSCOW, Dec. 22:-In view of the situation both in Europe and the Far East, Soviet industry has been placed on a war basis with twelve to fifteen hour working days

against possible attack, a fleet of thirteen warships-eight submarines, three torpedo boats and two idestroyers—was rushing through the Black Sea yesterday towards

President Gomez Of Cuba Vetoes 9-cent Sugar Tax

impeachment of Head of Government is Voted by House Of Representatives

HAVANA, Cuba, Dec. 22:-Presitent Gemez officially vetoed the 9c sugar tax yesterday. The political crisis has, therefore, become the more intense with opponents of Gomez, led by Colonel Batista, succeeding in bringing impeachment proceedings against him on intimidation charges.

The House of Representatives today by a margin of three voted MADRID, Dec. 22:-Despite win- to impeach President Gomez. The

The sugar tax bill would have An exchange of prisoners be- raised \$1,500,000 to provide funds

> BIRMINGHAM SCRAPS TRAMS BIRMINGHAM, Eng., Dec. 22: (CP)-Motorbuses will supercede street cars on three more routes serving populous suburbs, five other tram lines having already given place to oil or trolley buses.

Weather Forecast

(Furnished through the courtesy of the Dominion Meteorological Bureau at + in a Canadian Press poll. He + of Lippe-Biesterfeld took place ken at 5 a.m. today and covers the 35

gales off the coast with snow and

heavy rains. Prince Rupert District and Queen SYDNEY, Aust., Dec. 22: (CP)- Charlotte Islands-Easterly gales

when he raised the question of his Evans, V.C., D.C.M., formerly of -Westerly gales, mild with occasional rains.