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Today's Weather

(8 A.M.)

Prince Rupert—Cloudy, light easterly wind, barometer, 29.80; temperature, 104, a smooth.

Tomorrow's Tides

High 13:00 p.m. 17.5 ft. Low 6:46 a.m. 3.4 ft. 18:40 p.m. 8.3 ft.

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HUGE NEW WORK PROGRAM PLANNED

TERRACE STILL FEELING EFFECTS OF DISASTER BY RECENT FLOOD CONDITION

Supplies Getting Short and Prices Advancing—More Detailed Survey of Damage Shows Widespread Loss and Hardship

(By N. Sherwood)

TERRACE, July 2:—"Princess Pilsener" has been locally built and launched for bringing supplies by river during the railway tie-up. This is due to the enterprise of Gordon Temple, hotel proprietor, to relieve the famine in beer caused by the flood damage to the railway. It speaks well for the resourcefulness of Terrace people that there is not yet any serious shortage of the necessities of life. Terrace has supplied the neighboring communities and also given the railway a good start in the matter of repairing the track by feeding the large gangs of workmen who have been employed.

Many of these men are young fellows who never before had the opportunity to do real work. It is said they are showing the old and experienced workers a point or two in the way a shovel should be used. The emergency hospital is doing good work. The whole region between Kitwanga and Kwinitza is depending on the efficient operation of this hospital which Terrace has set up to meet the present crisis. Dr. Stanley Mills is in charge with two nurses and a housekeeper—all local talent.

Because Terrace has supplied the surrounding district and also the railway camps, some shortages have become apparent. It seems hard that, despite the self-sacrifice of the Terrace merchants, it is now necessary to raise the prices in some lines. If Terrace had conserved all its goods for local use prices would have stayed where they were and the district could have lived in comfortable independence of the rest of the world for months to come.

Beer, cigarettes and crackers are items affected by a raise in price. Negotiations are under way to bring a good river boat from the Stikine to the Skeena. The Terrace Board of Trade has been endeavoring to induce the railway authorities to charter a Barrington boat. Meanwhile a service of sorts has been established by Major Burbank by which a supply depot is being built up at Pacific. Local merchants may get their more urgent needs filled by ordering through the agent here. A relay of speeders, boats and a spell here and there on shanks' pony will do the trick.

Postmaster Kirkaldy returned on Thursday from a strenuous trip to Prince Rupert bringing, with the aid of his assistant, Jack Sparkes, a welcome pack of mail. The trip was made by speeder some of the way, by boat here and there, and by the old reliable method of hitting the trail the rest of the way.

Though there is some recovery to normal conditions in those homes which have been afflicted by the recent flood, it should not be assumed that many, if not all, of the homes affected will not need substantial rehabilitation. In many cases the houses and out-buildings were simply carried away by the abnormal height and force of the river, in other cases valuable cultivated land was dissolved and is no more. In yet others good land has been ruined by the deposit upon it of river gravel and sand. At Usk most of the gardens are ruined in that way. In still other cases, although there was no forceful destruction of land and buildings, the new planted fields and gardens were submerged and the 1936 crop

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Riotous Scenes of Cursing And Fighting as Selassie Appeals at Geneva Assembly

GENEVA, July 2: (CP)—Riotous scenes of cursing and fighting in the galleries shattered the dignity of the League of Nations Assembly Tuesday night when black-robed Emperor Haile Selassie charged: "You deserted us to Italy."

Police were called in to restore order after a chorus of heckling boos and curses greeted the Emperor when he rose to make a final dramatic plea for aid. He told how soldiers, women and children fell victims to gas attacks during the Italian campaign. It was almost ten minutes before police restored order and then he was allowed to proceed and bitterly told the League members "God and history will remember your judgment."

Persons alleged to be Fascists started the tumult. The demonstrators were hustled off to jail.

Thirty Million Dollars to Be Spent in Order to Stimulate Employment in This Dominion

HIGHWAY EXTENSION

Plan is to Extend This Year To Taylor Lake and to Build East of Usk

In connection with the highway appropriation of \$195,000 to be expended on the trunk highway between Prince Rupert and McBride, J. C. Brady, district engineer, states that he has prepared specifications for extension of the road at this end to Taylor Lake and also for considerable extensions east of Usk with a view to eventually connecting Terrace with the outside.

It will be remembered that the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce asked the government to do the largest part of the proposed work the other side of Terrace rather than at the Prince Rupert end so that Terrace might be able to get first on the main highway. Then it was thought a low rate might be arranged with the railway for carrying cars between Prince Rupert and Terrace.

TODAY'S STOCKS

Courtesy S. D. Johnston (Co.)

Vancouver

- B. C. Nickel, .33 1/2. Big Missouri, .62. Bralorne, 7.80. B. R. Cons., .06 1/2. B. R. X., 14. Cariboo Quartz, 1.62. Dentonia, .17. Dunwell, .03 1/2. Golconda, .10. Minto, .51. Meridian, .07. Morning Star, .02 1/2. National Silver, .02 3/4. Noble Five, .02 1/2. Pend Oreille, .75. Porter Idaho, .04. Premier, 2.44. Reeves McDonald, .05. Reno, 1.19. Relief Arlington, .31. Salmon Gold, .09. Taylor Bridge, .10. Wayside, .10.

Oils

- A. P. Consolidated, 14 1/4. Calmont, 14.

Toronto

- Beattie, 1.40. Central Patricia, 3.90. Chibougamau, 1.60. God's Lake, 1.22. Inter, Nickel, 49.50. McKenzie Red Lake, 1.82. Perron, 1.30. Pickle Crow, 6.25. Red Lake Gold Shore, 1.64. San Antonio, 2.35. Sherritt Gordon, 1.05. Siscoe, 3.71. Smelter Gold, .08. Sturgeon River, 48. Ventures, 1.94. MacLeod Cockshutt, 3.70. Hardrock, 2.45. Oklend, .43. Mosher, .52. Bousquet, .13. Bidgood Kirkland, 1.85. Gilbec, .06 1/2. Jowsey, .20. Lake Rose, .43. Madsen Red Lake, .52. May-Speders, .35. Wendigo, .17. Winoga Patricia, .34. Aldermac, .22.

IN SUPPORT OF BALDWIN JUNE HERE WAS SUNNY

British House of Commons Votes Confidence in Ministry

LONDON, July 2:—For the second time within a week the House of Commons voted confidence in the government after opposition speakers had criticized bitterly recent utterances of cabinet ministers outside the House in regard to international matters including sanctions. The vote rejected 284 to 136 a Labor motion to adjourn.

Crop Prospects In Terrace Are Good This Year

TERRACE, July 2:—Terrace has had an excellent growing season right from the start with the result that hay promises a full crop and also oats—in fact, all lines are in good shape—roots, berries and tree fruits. Of course much crop was lost through the recent floods.

PRAIRIES TOO HOT

OTTAWA, July 2:—Hot, dry weather is responsible for a general and serious reduction in crop prospects in the prairie provinces, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reports.

Crop conditions in the Maritime Provinces and British Columbia remain promising while cool and dry weather has hindered growth in Western Quebec and most of Ontario.

Talk of Bout On Pacific Coast For Joe Louis

LOS ANGELES, July 2:—Negotiations have been opened with a view to bringing Joe Louis to the Pacific Coast for a bout if a suitable opponent for him can be found. Among those mentioned as possible opponents are Max Baer, King Levinsky, Art Lasky and Lee Ramage. It is said that Louis would like to come to California and establish a home.

Brightest Month Since 1930 Is Recorded—Comfortable Amount of Rain

Recording a total of 167.5 hours, June 1936 was the sunniest month Prince Rupert has enjoyed in six years. There was also a comfortable amount of 4.1 inches of rain. The sunshine this June was more than double the 79 hours recorded in the same month last year. The precipitation this June was also more than a year ago when there was 2.93 inches. So far this year sunshine has totalled 642.6 hours in comparison with 579 hours in the first half of 1935 while precipitation for 1936 to date amounts to 37.5 inches in comparison with 18.99 inches in the corresponding period of last year.

The weather summary for this June, as announced by R. G. Emmerson, Digby Island, Dominion meteorologist, was as follows: Highest barometer reading at sea level, 30.19 on June 21. Lowest barometer reading at sea level, 29.39 on June 16. Maximum temperature, 77 on June 6. Minimum temperature, 43 on June 4. Mean temperature, 55. Total precipitation 4.1 inches. Sunshine, 167.5 hours.

FIVE DIE IN SMASH

Serious Automobile Accident Near Famous Natural Bridge In Virginia Yesterday

LEXINGTON, W. Va., July 2: (CP)—Five passengers were killed and fifteen others injured early Wednesday when a bus, bound from Roanoke to Washington, rolled over five times at the top of the famous natural bridge near here.

Wrestling Title Changes Hands

Everett Marshall Wins World's Heavyweight Championship From Ali Baba

TOLEDO, July 2:—The world's heavyweight wrestling championship title changed hands here when Everett Marshall of Colorado defeated the "Terrible Turk" Ali Baba.

Fifty Percent of Those Receiving Work Must Come From Relief Rolls—All Camps in Canada Now Closed, Following Offer of Work to Inmates

OTTAWA, July 2: (CP)—Hon. Norman Rogers, minister of labor, last night announced conclusion of Dominion-provincial agreements under which at least \$30,000,000 will be spent this year as "direct stimulus to employment." This is in addition to more than \$40,000,000 voted in supplementary estimates for federal works projects.

New agreements for joint works on a fifty-fifty expenditure basis contain a mandatory clause providing that at least fifty percent of those employed on the projects covered by the \$30,000,000 shall be taken from the relief rolls.

The minister of labor made a simultaneous announcement that grants in aid to the provinces for direct relief will be cut ten percent during July, August and September in view of the "improvement in general employment and in anticipation of the reduction in relief rolls through the joint works program."

Relief camps across Canada have all been closed, it was announced today by Mr. Rogers. "Every man in residence in the camps was offered employment if he desired it and no compulsion was used," the minister of labor added. In British Columbia 1,715 men were supplied from the camps to the railways.

Patterson Is Leader Of Tories

VANCOUVER, July 2: (CP)—Dr. Frank Patterson of Vancouver was elected leader of the Conservative party in British Columbia on Tuesday night by a majority on the first ballot. The names of R. L. Maitland K.C. and Herbert Anson M.L.A. of Victoria were also on the ballot. Patterson got 266 votes out of a total of 389. R. A. Wooten of Victoria was elected president of the British Columbia Conservative Association.

Cedarvale Man Is Laid at Rest

Funeral of Evan Cadwallader Who Lost His Life in Accident At Ferry

CEDARVALE, July 2:—The funeral of the late Evan Cadwallader, who was killed recently in an accident at the ferry, took place at Kitwanga on Monday of last week. Adjutant Parkinson of the Salvation Army officiating.

Hymns were: "Nearer My God to Thee," "Abide With Me," "Shall We Gather at the River?" and "God be with you Till we Meet Again." Mrs. F. D. Sampare was the organist.

Those sending flowers were: Mrs. C. V. Smith and Mrs. Myros (Hazelton), Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Cox and family (Hazelton), Mrs. F. D. Sampare (Kitwanga), Mr. and Mrs. A. Hobinsfield (Kitwanga), Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Tordiffe and family (Cedarvale), Mr. and Mrs. A. Macdonald (Cedarvale), Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Tomlinson and family (Cedarvale), Mr. and Mrs. F. Bruce (Cedarvale), Mr. and Mrs. J. Burton (Cedarvale), Mr. and Mrs. A. Mulwain (Cedarvale), Mr. and Mrs. F. Burke (Cedarvale), Mr. and Mrs. R. Robinson (Kitwanga), Mr. and Mrs. Sam Turner (Kitwanga), Mr. and Mrs. H. Benson (Kitwanga), also many others.

Halibut Arrivals

Summary American—64,000 pounds, 7c and 6c to 7.5c and 6c. Canadian—15,000 pounds, 6.8c and 5.5c. American Lincher, 33,000, 7c and 6c, Cold Storage. Pioneer III, 21,000, 7c and 6c, Cold Storage. Cora, 10,000, 7.5c and 6c, Cold Storage. Canadian Viking, 15,000, 6.8c and 5.5c, Atlin.

CONFIDENCE IS VOTED

French Chamber Approves Dissolution of Rightist Bodies

PARIS, July 2:—France's new Leftist government won another vote of confidence in the Chamber of Deputies after hours of bitter debate in which Rightists and Leftists exchanged threats and charges. The cabinet of Leon Blum was upheld 375 to 192 on the question of its dissolution of the so-called Fascist-Rightist Leagues.

Government fears of grave disorders and Rightists' threats of insurrection were aired in the tumultuous debate.

Gasoline Drops On Hot Exhaust; Causes Tragedy

The provincial police power cruiser P. M. L. 8 is back in port after a trip to Wales Passage to investigate the circumstances of the death of George Williams, a native fisherman from Alyanah, who was burned in his boat at the first of the week. Williams' death was of entirely accidental character. Gasoline, it is believed, leaked on to a hot exhaust pipe, causing an explosion and fire which virtually destroyed the boat and burned Williams beyond recognition. The remains were delivered to Kincolith where burial took place.

Crawford-Quist Are Eliminated

Borotra and Brugnon Move Ahead In English Tennis at Wimbledon

WIMBLEDON, Eng., July 2:—The Australian doubles pair of Jack Crawford and Adrian Quist, defending the doubles title in the all-England tennis championships, was defeated by the French team of Jean Borotra and Jacques Brugnon 3-6, 7-5, 2-6, 9-7, 6-2 on Tuesday.

Helen Jacobs of the United States and Mme. Simone Mathieu of France won places in the semifinals along with Jarwiga Jedrzewska of Poland and Hilda Krahwinkel Sperling of Denmark.

Today Helen Jacobs defeated Miss Jedrzewska 6-4, 6-2 in one semi-final while Hilda Sperling won over Miss Mathieu in the other 6-3, 6-2.

Fred Perry of England defeated Don Budge, California, 5-7, 6-4, 6-3, 6-4, and Baron Gottfried von Cramm of Germany defeated A. W. Austen, England, 8-6, 6-3, 2-6, 6-3 in the semifinals yesterday of the men's singles. The championship round will be played Friday.

DIVIDE UP PALESTINE

London Paper Hears of Plan To Separate Arabs and Jews

LONDON, July 2:—The Daily Herald reported from Jerusalem that official circles were considering uniting Palestine and Trans-Jordan into one country under Emir Abdullah, present ruler of Trans-Jordan.

The report said the country would be divided into four districts each being given to the Arabs and the Jews.

CUSTOMS COLLECTIONS

Customs and excise revenue at the port of Prince Rupert for the month of June totalled \$36,307.91.