

## Today's Weather

Print—Cloudy, light nor-  
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therm—meter, 29.50; tem-  
peratures—smooth.

# The Daily News

NORTHERN AND CENTRAL BRITISH COLUMBIA'S NEWSPAPER

## Tomorrow's Tides

High ..... 4:45 a.m. 19.4 ft.  
16:47 p.m. 17.2 ft.  
Low ..... 10:59 a.m. 7.8 ft.  
23:04 p.m. 6.6 ft.

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# MARINE DISASTER ON OREGON COAST

## American Freighter Iowa Is Dashed to Pieces Off Mouth Of Columbia; Thirty-Four Die

### NINE DEAD IN FLAMES

Lancashire Miner Is Sole Survivor Of His Family When Home Is Destroyed

LONDON, Eng., Jan. 13: (CP)—Adam Tyrer, miner, is the only survivor of a fire which early today destroyed his Tyledesley, Lancashire, home and burned to death his wife and eight children.

### LOGGING CENTRE

This Would Be Result For Prince Rupert In Event Of Pulp Mill Being Established, Believes District Forester

The construction at Prince Rupert of a sulphide pulp mill of 250 tons daily capacity should give a great impetus to logging, both on the mainland coast and on the Queen Charlottes," says a statement by A. E. Parlow, district forester. "Plans are also being made to deliver logs from points along the Canadian National Railways and to drive the Skeena River. This would make Prince Rupert a logging centre and affect all lines of business in addition to those directly dependent upon logging.

"There seems to be a good prospect of offshore timber trade developing from this port in the near future," says Mr. Parlow's statement after referring to a recent experimental shipment of aspen logs, hemlock and cottonwood from here to the Orient.

"The recent reduction of the American tariff on lumber should help British Columbia operators, particularly tidewater mills, and there is every prospect that the upward trend, already noticeable, will be felt in every branch of the timber industry in 1935."

Commenting upon the increase of railway tie production in the interior during 1935, the district forester points out that one feature of this business was the large number of small portable mills, many of them home-made, engaged in sawing ties.

The report announces an increased production of logs on the Queen Charlotte Islands during the past year while there was a slight reduction on the mainland coast with light production east of the Cascades.

Poles and piling production showed a substantial increase over the previous year.

### Archbishop Of Halifax Dies

Most Rev. Thomas O'Donnell Passes Away After Brief Illness—Was 61 Years Old

HALIFAX, Jan. 13: (CP)—Most Rev. Thomas O'Donnell, Roman Catholic Archbishop of Halifax and former Bishop of Victoria, died here today after a brief illness. He was 61 years of age.

SHIP WAS CAUGHT ON TREACHEROUS PEACOCK REEF BY VICIOUS SOUTHEAST HURRICANE YESTERDAY AFTERNOON—LADNER MAN IS AMONG VICTIMS.

ASTORIA, Ore., Jan. 13: (CP)—Thirty-four men, the entire crew of the States Steamship Line's intercoastal freighter Iowa, perished Sunday afternoon when a vicious southeast hurricane dashed the vessel to pieces on treacherous Peacock Spit off the mouth of the Columbia River. Philip J. Nael of Ladner was among the members of the crew.

Mountainous waves and a terrific gale clutched the freighter as it crossed out over the Columbia River bar enroute south, slowly forcing it toward the sands. "S. O. S." signals were flashed and the engines speeded up but the vessel was driven on the spit where it broke in two. Four coastguard boats reached the vicinity of the wreck but were unable to get a line aboard. Six of the bodies were recovered by the coastguard today.

### Francois Lake Farmer Passes

Otis Howard Frasier, Aged Sixty-Two, Seized With Stroke While Sitting Before Fire

Seized with a stroke while sitting before the fire in his home recently, Otis Howard Frasier, Francois Lake farmer, expired almost immediately, according to a report which has been received at divisional headquarters of the provincial police here. Born in Chestnig, Mich., in 1873, deceased has been a resident of the Burns Lake district for a year and a half, having formerly been in Alberta. He is survived by a widow.

#### HOCKEY SCORES

**SATURDAY SCORES**  
Northwestern League  
Calgary 5, Edmonton 7.

**National League**  
New York Americans 2, Montreal Maroons 3.

Canadiens 7, Toronto 3.

**SUNDAY SCORES**  
National League

Montreal 0, Detroit 6.

New York Rangers 3, Boston 6.

Canadiens 2, Chicago 1.

#### INDIANS ARRESTED

Two Indians, Frank Joseph and Sam Luke Pete, as well as an Indian of juvenile age are in custody at Smithers awaiting trial on charges of being in possession of stolen property from N. P. Moran's Empress News Stand in the interior town. Their arrest followed a breaking and entering incident when considerable goods, including watches, tobacco, pens, etc., were taken.

#### Vancouver Wheat

VANCOUVER, Jan. 13: (CP)—Wheat was quoted at 86½¢ on the local exchange today.

Owing to the continued illness of Magistrate McClymont, city police court cases, scheduled for this morning, were further adjourned. They included that of Wong Jong Ping, Chinese, awaiting decision on a charge of having opium in his possession; Lillian Jenkins, charged with being the keeper of a disorderly house, and Roy Fisher, charged with frequenting.

### Faith Fenton Of Yukon Fame Dies

Mrs. John N. E. Brown is Victim Of Pneumonia in Toronto

TORONTO, Jan. 13: (CP)—Faith Fenton, pioneer Canadian newspaperwoman of the Yukon Gold Rush, died here Friday of pneumonia. In private life, she was Mrs. John N. E. Brown.

### Pioneer Woman Of Vancouver Passes

Mrs. Henry Bell-Irving Died Yesterday at Age of 74 Years

VANCOUVER, Jan. 13: (CP)—Mrs. Henry Bell-Irving sr., member of a pioneer Vancouver family, died on Saturday at the age of 74 years. Her husband predeceased her some time ago but she is survived by children.

### Foster Appointed Speaker of Senate

Former Premier of New Brunswick Named to Preside Over Red Chamber

OTTAWA, Jan. 13: (CP)—Hon. Walter E. Foster of Saint John, former Premier of New Brunswick, was appointed Speaker of the Senate today.

#### Today's Weather

Prince Rupert—Clear, light northerly wind; barometer, 29.42; temperature, 34; sea smooth.

Triple Island—Clear, moderate northerly wind; barometer, 29.45; small chop.

Langara Island—Cloudy, light sleet, light northeast wind, light swell.

#### FINED FOR TRESPASSING

Joseph McKay, Metlakatla Indian, was found guilty by Indian Agent W. E. Collison at Port Simpson Saturday on a charge of trespassing for no good purpose on the Port Simpson Indian Reserve and was fined \$10 and ordered off the reserve.

## ANOTHER VANCOUVER ROBBERY

### GOOD YEAR IN MINING

Despite Closing Down of Anyox, Production Of District Held Up In 1935, Says Dr. Mandy

#### FOLLOW-UP ACTIVITIES

Ground Seems To Have Been Paved For Another Busy Year To Come, Official Suggests

"In the fructification of preparatory developments carried out in former years, 1935 was one of the most constructive and encouraging in the history of the district," says a report prepared by Dr. Joseph T. Mandy, resident mining engineer, for the Prince Rupert Chamber of Commerce. "A definite advance towards increased production, especially of gold-bearing ores, has been made. The closing of the Granby Co.'s operations at Anyox was an unfortunate occurrence but it must be remembered that such conclusion of operation is the ultimate destiny of all mines. In this district, with its promising and as yet virgin potentialities, such a setback can be considered as only temporary. The innate mineral potentialities of the district will ultimately result in the materialization of one or several producing mines to take the place of Anyox.

"Although an increased silver price stimulated several small operations of silver category, operations and activity generally have centred in gold. Material increase in activity of silver properties is dependent upon stability of the price of this metal. The outcome of this factor is dependent upon complicated and involved international aspects beyond the control of the mining industry itself.

"Prospecting in 1935 showed an increase over 1934 and has been very active throughout the district. In this respect an increasing interest has materialized in the interior, Unuk, Stikine, Liard and Atlin sections. Constructive new discoveries have been made in the Unuk, Taku and Liard River sections.

"Normal production continued during the year at Premier mine. Consumption of an arrangement whereby the Premier Co. undertakes the further development and operation of the B. C. Silver and Sebakwe Co. holdings will result in production from these latter properties in 1935. Production from Surf Point mine, Porcher Island, has continued normally at the rate of over 4000 ounces of gold for the year. Small tonnage production has come from the Princess Royal Island, Eddy Pass, Dunwell, Blackhill, Lakeview, Spider, Ben Ali, Ida, Excelsior, Northern Prospectors and the Dolly Varden.

#### Gold And Silver Up

"An increase in value of gold and silver production for 1935 as compared with 1934 is indicated. Due to the closing of the Granby operation at Anyox, copper production as well as total value of production for the district will show a decline in 1935 as compared with 1934. This may be compensated for in some degree by materializing new operations.

"Active exploration was carried out on many properties throughout the district. Encouraging results indicative of possible production in the near future have been achieved at the Big Missouri by the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Co. and at the Whitewater

### CLEMENCY IS DENIED

Was His Last Chance To Escape Execution Apart From Possible Intervention

#### WEPT AT VERDICT

Little Short Of Miracle Will Now Prevent Execution

TRENTON, New Jersey, Jan. 13: (CP)—The New Jersey State Court of Pardons Saturday night refused Bruno Richard Hauptmann's plea for clemency, thus ending his last chance to escape execution on Friday night of this week for the kidnap-murder of Charles Augustus Lindbergh Jr. on March 1, 1932, unless Governor Harold Hoffman or the courts intervene. Nothing short of a miracle can save Hauptmann from the electric chair on the appointed date, it is now believed.

Governor Hoffman declined to discuss the verdict of the Court of Pardons. He said a few days ago that, if the plea of Hauptmann was rejected by the Court of Pardons, he would make no attempt to extend the life of the former German soldier and Bronx carpenter. However, he has been very active in connection with the case of late and there is a bare possibility that he may consider new developments in the case of sufficient importance to endeavor to bring about a stay of execution. His authority to grant a reprieve, however, is questioned.

There is believed to be little likelihood of the courts taking further action.

The decision of the Court of Pardons rejecting clemency came after one hour's deliberation. There had been a six hour hearing during the day.

Hauptmann was advised in the death cell Saturday night that his last appeal had been rejected. His chief attorney, Lloyd Fisher, told him. The convicted murderer again reiterated his innocence and later wept—not for himself, he said, but for his wife and child. During the evening, his wife, Anna, was refused permission to visit him in the death house.

Speaking on the report earlier in the day that Dr. J. F. (Jaisie) Condon was to be taken into custody for questioning in connection with the case, Governor Hoffman explained that Condon would not actually be arrested. The intention was merely to question him in connection with an article he has written for the National Monthly which suggests he may know more about the affair than he has disclosed to the authorities.

property, Taku River, by Duluth interests. The expansion of exploration and the interest of large operating companies in the district is further indicated in the active exploration of the Salmon Gold at Stewart and by activities in the Unuk River.

"Placer gold mining and prospecting by individuals, syndicates and substantial mining companies increased, especially in the Atlin area where a feature was the inauguration of increased steam shovel operations. An increased production in quantity and value of placer gold in the district is indicated for 1935.

"The general results achieved in all branches of the mining industry in the northwestern mineral survey district during 1935 indicate a very active and progressive period in 1936."

## Main and Prior Street Montreal Bank Branch Is Relieved of \$1000

Two Bandits, Each Brandishing Two Guns, Herded Members of Staff Into Vault and Then Proceeded To Work on Cash

VANCOUVER, Jan. 13: (CP)—Two bandits, each brandishing two guns, held up three employees and two customers of the branch of the Bank of Montreal at Main and Prior Streets, not far from the Canadian National Railways station, at 10:40 this morning and escaped with \$1000, half in bills and half in silver. They herded members of the bank staff into the vault, shutting, but not locking, the door.

### INCREASED RELIEF AID TO MUNICIPALITIES TO BE MADE RETROACTIVE

VICTORIA, Jan. 13: (CP)—Payment of eighty percent of the cost of relief in municipalities, which was announced at the end of the week by Hon. George S. Pearson, minister of labor, will be retroactive to December 1, continuing until March 31. Whether or not it will be continued after that time will depend upon whether or not increased federal assistance keeps up.

### Man Who Lost His Life in South Has Sister in Rupert

Howard Galbraith, Vancouver fisherman and millworker, whose body was found last week in his fishing boat which had gone ashore on the North Arm of Burrard Inlet, Vancouver, was a brother of Mrs. Harry McCavour of this city. Mrs. McCavour is the wife of a well known Skeena River canneryman and was last summer at Claxton.

The late Mr. Galbraith, whose funeral took place last Saturday afternoon in Vancouver under Masonic auspices, is survived by his widow, two daughters, one son, his father and three sisters.

### Rudyard Kipling Is Seriously Ill

Condition of Famous Author Reported Critical Following Operation

LONDON, Jan. 13: (CP)—The condition of Rudyard Kipling was reported very grave today eight hours after an emergency operation for a gastric disorder in a London hospital.

#### BAR SILVER UNCHANGED

NEW YORK, Jan. 13: (CP)—Bar silver was unchanged on both New York and London metal markets today. The New York price was 49½¢ per ounce and the London price 20½ pence.

### COUNCIL ELECTED

E. F. Dudoward Named Chief At Port Simpson Following Annual Election On Saturday

E. F. Dudoward is chief councillor for the native village of Port Simpson for the year 1936. Peter Wells is secretary of the village council and George Sankey, treasurer.

The annual election of councillors was held on Saturday at Port Simpson by Indian Agent W. E. Collison, resulting in the choice of the following:

Ward 1—E. F. Dudoward, Phillip Green, Peter Wells and Mark Green.

Ward 2—Joshua McKay, Joseph Offut, James Henry and George Sankey.

Ward 3—Thomas Gosnell, Eli Pollard, John Sankey and Isaac Sankey.

The Indian Agent was assisted in the conducting of the election by Corp. A. Mason Rooke R. C. M. P. and Dominion Constable A. J. Watkinson.

### WAITING ON CIVIC HEAD

Unemployed Presenting Requests To City Commissioner Alder In Interview Today

A delegation consisting of three members of the unemployed council and two of the Co-operative Commonwealth Federation is to wait upon City Commissioner W. J. Alder today with two requests. One is that the voucher system in the issuing of relief be discontinued and cash, instead, be given. The other is that seven days' work instead of fourteen be required for the monthly relief allowance of \$33.

Decision to send the delegation to interview the commissioner was made at a meeting of the unemployed last night with Tom McKenzie presiding. The delegation will report back at another meeting to be held Thursday night.

Mrs. Homer Clay of Surf Point, Porcher Island, underwent an operation this morning at the Prince Rupert General Hospital and was reported this afternoon to be doing nicely.