Today's Weather

(8 A.M.)

Prince Rupert - Part cloudy, northeast wind, ten miles per hour; barometer, 29.56 (falling); temperature, 24; light chop.

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NORTHERN AND CENTRAL BRITISH COLUMBIA'S NEWSPAPER

Tomorrow's Tides

9:22 a.m. 20.0 ft. 22:34 p.m. 17.3 ft. 2:38 a.m. 9.5 ft. Low 16:08 p.m. 4.9 ft.

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PRINCE RUPERT, B.C., WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1938.

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ROWN IS PRESIDENT:

berals Choose Full List of Officers for Year at Meeting Last Night

Brown. On taking the chair + House yesterday. new president thanked the the confidence + + + + shown in him by electing him to that position. The full list of officers for the year follows: Honorary President, Right Hon.

Hon. T. D. Pattullo. Honorary Second Vice-President. Over Contract

Olof Hanson M. P. President, T. W. Brown. First Vice - President, George Second Vice-President, George

Secretary, Arthur Brooksbank. Treasurer, Dr. J. H. Carson. A. Lindsay and Leon Blain.

Nova Scotia Not In of Uniting With Other Maritime Provinces

HALIFAX, Feb. 9: (CP)-Pre-Her Angus L. Macdonald of Nova use by the department and were betia told the Rowell Commission ing charged to the contractors. yesterday that no saving could be ernment was opposed to such was fair.

ELECTION

Expected to be Returned

ent is expected to be returned possibly \$3 a load. abor opposition won seven in that loads of the soil. anner. This leaves thirty-one out It was decided to refer the matintest today.

latically refused to consider.

Weather Forecast

Furnished through the courtesy of Dominion Meteorological Bureau at st is compiled from obversations tan at 5 a.m. today and covers the 36 at 5 a.m. today and covers the 36 or period ending 5 p.m. tomorrow).

General Synopsis-Pressure coninues low off Vancouver Island nd remains abnormally high in the ains have occurred on the West oast. It continues moderately old in the interior.

moderate gales mostly cloudy, transport, announced last night air and cold with some snow. that the Canadian Broadcasting West Coast of Vancouver Island— Corporation would establish two times and the other in the west. hange in temperature.

Legislature Membership Is Reduced

the annual general meeting * REGINA, Feb. 9: (CP)-The * the Prince Rupert Liberal As- + Saskatchewan government will + the Metropole + soon introduce in the legisla- + W. M. Brown + ture a bill redistributing pro- + siding. T. W. Brown was el- + vincial electoral divisions and + for the coming + reducing the membership of + ar The only other candidate + the legislature from fifty-five + that position was Robert Friz- + seats to forty-three, Attorney + The vote stood 83 to 16 for + General T. C. Davis said in the +

Tempest In Teapot W. L. Mackenzie King. Honorary First Vice-President. At Liberal Meeting

Question of Contract for Post Office Excavation to be Further Investigated by Liberal Executive

At the annual meeting of the Prince Rupert Liberal Acssociation Executive—W. J. Greer, Robert last night, G. P. Lyons drew attenordon, W. M. Watts. James Batt tion to rumors he had heard on the ck Judge, W. O. Fulton. Lee Dell, street that there was something not quite in order in the letting of the contract for the basement of the new post office. L. W. Patmore said he had heard the same and he inquired of the provincial engineer and was told that the provincial government needed dirt for filling at the Court House grounds and had arranged to secure it from the contractors without cost to them except for the hauling which they did themselves. The tools used by the contractors were not in

George Casey complained that ected by uniting of the three he had figured on the job and he provinces and that his did not consider the competition

W. M. Brown said he had found the same as Mr. Patmore that the provincial government had taken a quantity of the earth which it needed. They had paid nothing for this, all they did was to haul it. John Gurvich said that his firm | Manitoba Legislature yesterday rehad secured the contract by figuring low on it. They paid for any have asked the federal government ple of North Ireland at Polls equipment they used. So far as the Today—Craigavon Government | dirt was concerned the government | was glad to have it. The cost to the government by hauling it itself BELFAST, Feb. 9: (CP) - North was from fifteen to seventeen cents eland is voting in its general elec- a load. If it had had to buy it the n today. The Craigavon govern- cost would have been much more,

a reduced majority. It en-! Christ. Johansen, who had also ered election day with an advan- figured on the job, said it was unge of seven seats, having won derstood by them all that the govurteen by acclamation while the ernment would take about fifty

fifty-two seats in Parliament in ter to the executive to see if there had been discrimination in favor of The election has been fought on the Gurviches and to report its the issue alone, that of union with findings to the public through the Canada Air Lines completed its ine Irish Free State which the press. President Brown said, so far itial network of radio communicaalgavon government has em- as he could see, the only question to tion stations across the Rockies bebe investigated was whether the tween Alberta and the Pacific Coast! Gurviches had been notified before- yesterday when its transmitter hand that more than fifty loads of went on the air at Vancouver. dirt would be taken by the provin- Trans-Canada's own stations are cial government.

Canada-One in Maritimes, Other in West

otte Islands — Strong northeast Clarence D. Howe, minister of of departure to destination. Fresh to strong east winds, shift- new 50,000-watt broadcasting sta- steady at \$35.01 on the London Court before Judge W F Ficher to committee and a number of zero. this afternoon for election

R.A.F. PLANES FORMATION TO AUSTRALIA

Retused



The squadron of big Royal A'r Force flying boats, pictured on a trial flight at the top, will shortly start on a 30,000 mile formation cruise with Sydney, Australia, as their destination. They will tour the southern Dominion taking part in the 150th anniversary celebration of the founding of New South Wales The route to be followed will be much the same as that travelled by big mail, passenger and transport machines flying to India and Singapore, but will be the longest squadron flight yet attempted. Wing Commander O. R Gayford, (top right) will be in charge of one section of the flight. Mechanics are pictured (below) fuelling up on of the craft which will make the trip, at the Mount Batten air harbor, near Plymouth.

VOTE DOWN RESOLUTION

Manitoba Legislature Votes Down Move to Abolish Race Track Betting and Permit Lotteries

WINNIPEG, Feb. 9: (CP)- The jected a resolution which would to amend the Criminal Code of Canada so as to abolish race track betting but to permit operation of lotteries and sweepstakes.

Network in Connection With Cross-Canada Flying Is Now Complete

VANCOUVER, Fer. 9: - Transnow operating at Vancouver, Oliver, Cranbrook and Lethbridge on the mountain section over which training flights are presently being operated.

The completion of the Vancouver STATIONS unit was incidentally celebrated to-

three hours later. The network of airline radio sta-

LONDON GOLD PRICE

TODAY'S STOCKS (Courtesy S. D. Johnston Co.)

Vancouver B. C. Nickel, .171/2. Big Missouri, .47. Bralorne, 8.95. Aztec, .071/2. Cariboo Quartz, 1.95. Dentonia, .12 (ask). Golconda, .05.

Minto, .031/4. Fairview. .041/2. Noble Five, .031/2. Pend Oreille, 2.05. Pioneer, 2.90. Porter Idaho, .02. Premier, 2.10. Reeves McDonald, 36. Reno. .56. Relief Arlington, .22. Reward, .05. Salmon Gold, .07. Taylor Bridge, .05.

Hedley Amalgamated, .06. Premier Border, .011/2. Silbak Premier, 1.95. Congress, .01. Home Gold, .011/2. Grandview, .081/4. Indian, .02. Quatsina Copper, .033/4. Haida Gold, .05.

A. P. Con., .24. Calmont, .43. C. & E., 2.55. Freehold, .06. Hargal, .17. McDougall Segur, .21. Mercury, .15. Okalta, 1.90. Pacalta, .111/2. Home Oil, 1.12.

which left the city airport at 7.57 Bolton and Elizabeth Ryan, Van. virtue. We have broken down all temperature 10. lorth. It is very cold and heavy Fifty-Thousand Transmitters For a.m. arriving in the Alberta city arsdol Indians, who have been the old bridges and what have we Aiyansh—Cloudy, north wind, 11. committeed for trial on charges put in their places?" she demanded. Alice Arm—Part cloudy, north- A serious fire visited the tions is constantly in touch with of assault arising out of New Year The Prince Rupert Gyro Club Anyox-Cloudy, northeast wind, & Gevernment Telegraph office + Prince Rupert and Queen Char- OTTAWA, Feb. 9: (CP)— Hon. ships flying the airway from point celebration disturbances, Provincial was in regular monthly busi- 10.

Explorer, Now on Rescue Mission, At McMurray Enroute to Edmonton

FORT McMURRAY, Alberta, Feb. is taking to Edmonton an airplane \$14.90 was added to the fund. motor for repairs. On completion, of the work, he will return to Aklavik to resume the search for Russian transpolar fliers who have been missing since last August.

Parents Failing To Aid Children

So What Can They Expect?

ern parents have failed to bring up barometer. 29.52; temperature, 31; their children correctly, Mrs. A. sea smooth. Society recently.

ards of their own. How can the 12 miles per hour; barometer, 29.66, ness, having arrived on last night's youth of tomorrow dream dreams Victoria-Cloudy, southeast wind, train.

"We have given our children slop- eter, 29.82. Having in his custody Arthur py thinking and easy standards of Terrace - Cloudy, north wind.

Constable H. L. McKenney of Ter ness session at its weekly luncheon Stewart—Part cloudy, north wind, & Government Telegraphs is adrace arrived in the city from the today with the president, D. G. 12. interior on last night's train Borland, in the chair. A report | Hazelton-Snowing, calm, 7. bringing witnesses with him. The was brought in by the civic cen-

King And Queen : * To Visit France *

LONDON, Feb. 9: (CP) -* King George VI and Queen El- * + izabeth will leave the kingdom + 4 Official announcement of the 4 + trip was made last night.

CONFIDENCE EXPRESSED IN GOVERNMENTS ved part of their time. Aberhart's Reques

Liberal Association Passes Resolution at its Annual Meeting Last Evening

At the annual general meeting of the Prince Rupert Liberal Association last night votes of confidence in the governments of Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King and Hon. T. D. Pattullo were passed unanimously and also a vote of confidence in the federal member, Olof Hanson. Letters expressing this! will be sent to the individuals con-RESCUE OF cerned.

At the opening of the meeting President W. M. Brown reviewed briefly events of the past year. Outstanding was the election in which the Liberal government was Russian Ice Breakers Are Making returned to power. There was the appointment of L. W. Patmore K.C. to the International Fisheries Commission and there was the recent | MOSCOW, Feb. 9: (CP) - Four banquet given by the citizens of Soviet ice breakers are moving to-Vancouver to the member for this wards the Greenland Sea to rescue constituency in which it was indi- four Polar scientists who are adrift cated that the Vancouver people on a disintegrating ice floe. They and press had seen the error of are making poor headway, however, their ways in continuously oppos-, and it may be necessary to resort ing the Premier. The year had been to aircraft to effect the rescue. a pleasant one. He was glad to

see so large a gathering. Dr. J. H. Carson submitted the 9: (CP)—Sir George Hubert Wil- treasurer's report showing the sum kins, on his way from Aklavik to of \$81.35 in the treasury. On a Edmonton, was here last night. He collection being taken, the sum of

Today's Weather (Government "elegraphs

Triple Island - Overcast, snow flurries, northeast wind, ten miles per hour; light chop.

Langara Island - Part cloudy, today to again consider the questnortheast wind, 20 miles per hour; ion of withdrawal from the Spanbarometer, 29.68; temperature, 24; ish civil war of foreign volunteers. sea choppy.

Dead Tree Point-Overcast, light tion that it intends to withdraw Have no Standards of Their Own, snow, light northeast wind; barometer, 29.60; temperature, 20; mod-

erate swell. EDMONTON, Feb. 9: (CP)-Mod- Bull Harbor-Part cloudy, calm; try.

Balmer Watt, Edmonton, told the Alert Bay — Part cloudy, light Fred Hale, who was located in University of Alberta Philosophical south wind; barometer, 29.50; tem- Prince Rupert years ago and is

perature, 31; sea smooth. "Modern parents have no stand- Estevan-Raining, southerly wind spending a few days here on busi-

when all he sees about him is bally- 20 miles per hour; barometer, 29.76. hoo, corrupt governments, spineless Vancouver-Cloudy, easterly wind individuals and material things in six miles per hour; barometer, 29.82. the place of human values?" she Prince George-Clear, northerly wind, four miles per hour; barom- + Fire At

Smithers-Light snow, east wind, * entirely destroyed, according to *

Burns Lake-Bright, calm, three +

: SENTENCES

Minister of Justice Not Interfering With Cases of Defamatory Libel in Alberta

OTTAWA, Feb. 9: (CP)-There + for the first time since their + will be no interference by the + accession this summer when + Minister of Justice in the defamathey will go to France where tory libel sentences passed by the + the King will take part in the + Alberta courts on G. F. Powell, Sounveiling of a war memorial. + cial Credit authority from England, and Joseph Unwin, member of the provincial legislature for Edson, it is learned here.

Hon. Ernest Lapointe, minister of Justice, says he has no authority to interfere with the sentences being executed but he could deal with the matter of parole or ticket of leave should such be sought after the men have ser-

Aberhart's Request

EDMONTON, Feb. 9: (CP) -Premier William Aberhart, acting as attorney general, today telegraphed Minister of Justice Ernest Lapointe asking full remission of the sentences of three and six months' imprisonment respectively imposed on Joseph Unwin, Social Credit member of the Legislature. and G. F. Powell, British advisor to the Social Credit board, for publishing desamatory libel. He asked the remission on the grounds of "disturbed public opinion and its effect on public peace."

SCIENTISTS

Poor Headway-Aircraft May Be Resorted To

WITHDRAWAL FROM SPAIN

Nations Meet Again to Discuss Removal of Foreign Volunteers From Civil War

LONDON, Feb. 9: (CP)-A meeting of representatives of Great Britain, France and Italy is being held The meeting follows Italy's intimafrom Spain in order to bolster its forces on the Austrian frontier in fear of a Nazi putsch in that coun-

now residing in Vancouver,

lerrace +

* at Terrace this afternoon, the * + vised. The two establishments, + + occupying one building, were + + early report.