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New Scientific Methods Giving Fisheries A Fresh Lease On Life

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est temperatures of 1949
down on Prince Rupert
as a high pressure
brought clear weather in
of a storm which de-
six inches of snow on
streets Thursday.

Official minimum, according
Digby Island weather
was 17.9 degrees, the
since December 16 when
mercury shrank to 14
City thermometers,
habitually seem to go to
extremes than the go-
it instrument, registered
as 14 last night.

A cold snap brought with it
annual calendar of heating
days, ranging from a vast
of fuel to frozen water pipes
plugged oil lines.

The frozen snow reduced,
temporarily, the danger of auto-
mobile skidding and pedestrians
pling on city streets.

The province of Prince Edward
and has an area of 2184 square
iles, one-sixth the size of Van-
uatu Island.

LOCAL TIDES

Sunday, January 9, 1949
8:35 18.4 feet
21:44 15.1 feet
2:01 9.6 feet
15:39 7.9 feet

Tonight's train, due from the
at 10:45 p.m., is reported
hours and fifty minutes
which would bring it in at
5 am. tomorrow.

Jews Shoot Down Five British Planes

CHIANG READY TO QUIT—

Nationalist China Seeking Mediation Of War

NANKING, (C) — A usually reliable source said today that the Chinese government had asked British, United States and French governments to mediate the civil war. Ambassadors for the three powers were asked to relay the request to their governments, the source said.

The three ambassadors were all called to the Foreign Office by Foreign Minister Wu Te-Chen late today.

None of the foreign officials would comment on failure to include the Soviet member of the “Big Four” in the summons. This raised considerable speculation here.

It is understood the Russian ambassador has been shying away from possible participation in mediation or discussion of negotiations.

RUSSIAN PLANES SCOUT ALASKA

FAIRBANKS — According to Frank Whaley, well known Nome filer, Soviet jet planes have been patrolling the international Date Line and Berlin Straits. The planes, flying exceedingly fast, have been sighted by observers, along the Arctic shore. Whaley says he saw a Soviet jet plane circle Big Diomede Island, between Siberia and Alaska.

THE WEATHER

(Synopsis)

Winter has renewed its grip on all areas of British Columbia as Arctic air blankets the entire province. Sub-zero temperatures have again been recorded over many portions of the interior and at Prince George the mercury dropped to 25 below during the early morning hours.

(Forecast)

Queen Charlottes and North Coast—Clear over the northern mainland today and Sunday. Variable cloudiness and widely scattered snow flurries over the Queen Charlottes, clearing this afternoon. Clear tonight and Sunday morning, becoming cloudy during the afternoon. Winds light. Continuing cold. Lows tonight and highs Sunday—At Port Hardy 20 and 32; Massett 17 and 32; Prince Rupert 17 and 32.

CARONIA STARTS MAIDEN VOYAGE

OTTAWA — After Newfoundland becomes a province of Canada, the Dominion will rank among the greatest fish-producing countries of the world with an annual output worth \$150,000,000 a year. This is revealed in a Fisheries Department statement. The announcement is that, as soon as practicable after union, the Federal Fisheries services will be extended to the new province.

At the peak, the 1946-47 school year, 40,000 Canadian war veterans were registered in special courses and regular classes of our universities.

STATES MUST ASSUME LEAD

Truman Calls on Country To Support World's Struggle For Better Living

WASHINGTON D. C. (C) — President Truman yesterday submitted to Congress a report which says the United States must “positively support” the world’s struggle for better living standards and economic progress.

Unless it gives backing, the United States “cannot maintain a world position of moral prestige and political leadership,” a joint session of the Senate and House of Representatives was told.

This, the President said, was the opinion of his three-man council of economic advisers, whose annual report to the President was released in conjunction with his economic message.

Truman reiterated his belief that a start should be made “immediately” on the St. Lawrence Seaway and power project, whose annual report to the President was released in conjunction with his economic message.

The President said that the European recovery program must be continued and its success would help return to “reasonable freedom in world trade.”

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Port Edward remains a separate detachment and will not be policed by the Prince Rupert detachment.

While the Prince Rupert detachment will have a larger area to cover, it will gain three more men—the staff sergeant, a corporal and one constable. Formerly, Corporals Taylor and Wales alternated duty between the city and the launch P. M. L. 15 and Constable Edward Anderson was attached to the district office. All now come under the Prince Rupert detachment.

In future, the P. M. L. 15, which is classified as a detachment will draw a man from the Prince Rupert detachment if one is needed.

The Burns Lake detachment, which formerly was the easterly limit of “D” division, is now part of the Prince George district. Smithers is the easterly limit of the Prince Rupert district under the new arrangement.

The northern settlement of Atlin, which also was in “D” division, is now in the Peace River district. Both were transferred because they were so far from Prince Rupert as to be more easily accessible from other points.

Detachments within the Prince

NEW POLICE ADMINISTRATIVE SET-UP ELIMINATES “D” DIVISION HERE

Administrative changes which eliminate one link in the chain of authority within the British Columbia Police force and enlarge the area served by the Prince Rupert detachment, have been put into effect by the Attorney General’s Department.

Eliminated by the changes are the five divisions

within the province and the inspectors in charge of the divisions now have command over districts of nearly equal size.

Formerly, detachments were immediately responsible to district headquarters which, in turn, was responsible to the Division. Elimination of the division places the detachments immediately responsible to the Inspector-in-Charge.

The re-organization is the first major administrative change within the force since 1924.

Notable effects of the re-organization within the Prince Rupert district are:

I. “D” DIVISION no longer exists. Inspector F. B. Woods-Johnson now is officer in charge of the Prince Rupert District.

2. The Prince Rupert detachment, which formerly embraced only the city limits, has been expanded to include certain unorganized territory in the immediate area.

3. Burns Lake and Atlin detachments have been placed, for administrative purposes, within other districts.

Purpose of the re-organization is to “streamline” the administrative set-up by making the detachments, which do the actual police work, directly responsible to the Inspector-in-Charge.

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BAD STORMS IN ALBERTA

Coal Branch Area Suffers \$100,000 Damage From Hurricane and Snow

EDMONTON, (C) — Wet snow today added new peril to the Coal Branch mining area west of here in the wake of hurricane force winds which caused \$100,000 damage.

Winds at 90 miles per hour yesterday demolished buildings, tore out communications and lashed the towns of Cadomin, Lusear, Mountain Park and Leyland.

Show was still falling after 19 inches had brought fears of further damage to buildings weakened by winds.

Bell Telephone Is Issuing New Shares

MONTREAL (C) — Bell Telephone Co. of Canada will offer capital stock to shareholders at \$33 in ratio of one new share to five old ones. The right, expiring at the close of business February 21, will be assignable.

Lumber and Tie Production Same

OTTAWA, (C) — British Columbia’s production of sawn lumber and ties was slightly higher in September than August but was almost unchanged from the year before, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics reported yesterday.

Preston North End 2, Macefield Town 1.

Rotherham United 4, Darlington 2.

Sheffield United 5, New Brighton 2.

Sheffield Wednesday 2, Southampton 1.

Swindon Town 1, Stoke City 3.

Torquay United 1, Coventry City 0.

Wolverhampton Wanderers 6, Chesterfield 0.

Yeovil Town 3, Bury 1.

O. C. Football

(English Cup, Third Round)

Arsenal 3, Tottenham Hotspur 0.

Barnsley 0, Blackpool 1.

Bristol City 1, Chelsea 3.

Crewe Alexandra 0, Sunderland 2.

Derby County 4, Southworth 1.

Everton 1, Manchester City 0.

Gateshead 3, Aldershot 1.

Grimsby Town 2, Exeter City 1.

Leeds 1, Newport County 3.

Lincoln City 0, West Bromwich Albion 1.

Luton Town 3, West Ham United 1.

Manchester United 6, Bournemouth and Boscombe Athletic 9.

Newcastle United 0, Bradford 2.

Portsmouth 7, Stockport County 0.

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OUT—General George Marshall, resigned as United States Secretary of State owing to ill-health.

Bulletins

CHURCH DESTROYED

OTTAWA—St. Mary’s Roman Catholic Church, 60-year-old edifice in Ottawa’s east end, was completely destroyed by fire early today in a two-alarm blaze which caused damage estimated at more than \$50,000. The actual cause of the fire is undetermined.

LABOR CONGRESS CASE

VICTORIA—Outlawing of company unions and elimination of supervised strikes vote clause from the British Columbia labor code was asked yesterday by the British Columbia executive of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada. An 11-man delegation urged that hours of work be reduced to a weekly limit of forty and the basic minimum wage rate rise to 75c per hour. Old age pensions of \$60 a month without means test were also advocated. It was also asked that the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act be broadened to cover all workers, specifically civic, municipal and provincial government employees.

WOULD BAN IRON EXPORT

VICTORIA—Federal ban on the export of iron ores to the United States was sought today by the British Columbia government. Hon. R. C. McDonald, minister of mines, said that British Columbia wanted its own steel industry and exports of raw material would endanger such a project. Mr. McDonald said that a permit to export 50,000 tons of iron ore from Quinsam Lake, Vancouver Island, to Wenatchee, Washington, had been granted without his department’s knowledge.

:: TODAY'S STOCKS ::

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