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Tomorrow's Tides

High	8:55 a.m.	18.1 ft.
	22:05 p.m.	17.4 ft.
Low	2:25 am.	9.9 ft.
	15:30 p.m.	5.6 ft.

INSURGENTS HAVE ENTERED MADRID

Hospital Board Makes Public Statement of Position of Its Finances; Appeals For Support

Wiped Out All Debts and Has $20,000 on Hand Toward Building—Public Asked to Line up Solidly In Support of New Effort

The hospital board, at its meeting last week, decided to make a public statement of the financial position of the hospital and to appeal to the people to line up with them in support of a new building. The statement follows:

"At the last regular meeting of the directors of the Prince Rupert General Hospital Association, it was decided that the board should make a statement through the local newspapers, setting forth in a plain, straight-forward manner the present hospital position so that the general public will be familiar with the situation. The Prince Rupert General Hospital Association is incorporated under the Societies Act and all assets of the institution are owned by the association. According to the bylaws all members are called upon to pay an annual membership fee of $2.00 but this fee was reduced to $1.00 per annum at the last annual general meeting.

"It is under the management of a board of directors, five of whom are elected at an annual general meeting, two appointed by the City of Prince Rupert, two by the provincial government and one by the Prince Rupert Medical Association. Should there be a Ladies' Auxiliary it is usual for that body to have representation on the board. Directly in charge are the lady superintendent and the managing secretary. The board meets regularly once a month when matters affecting the hospital in all their varied and sometimes difficult phases are dealt with.

"The present building was erected in 1910 and is therefore 27 years old.

$20,000 In Hand

"From the time of its inception onward the routine of the hospital was carried on valiantly, always handicapped of course with financial difficulties, until 1923 when the institution found itself over $10,000 in debt. From that time on, however, a determined effort has been made to remedy the situation and today, notwithstanding the necessity of having to spend considerable sums for building repairs and for many and costly additions to equipment, the hospital has available $20,000 in liquid assets toward the erection of a new building.

"It is well to remember that all this has been accomplished without once having to ask for assistance from either the city or provincial government with the exception of a grant from the latter for foundation repairs in 1926. Neither have the citizens of Prince Rupert been called upon for financial assistance since the Nurses' Home was built in 1924 when the response was most generous. In connection with the Nurses' Home it might be mentioned that a mortgage of $5,000 was obtained which has since been paid in full. We consider this is a record which few if any of the hospitals in the province can surpass.

"It might be of interest to your readers to explain the system of grants under which the hospital operates. The city pays 70 cents per diem for all patients who are residents of Prince Rupert while the provincial government pays a similar amount for all patients irrespective from where they come, excepting Natives residing on reserves, for whom the Dominion government pays a flat all inclusive per diem rate. These grants are made in conformity with the provisions of the 'Hospitals Act' of British Columbia and the city has

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EARHART CRASHES

World Flight Plane is Wrecked But Neither Aviatrix or Her Companions Injured

HONOLULU, March 20: (CP)—Amelia Earhart Putnam's world flight is off for the time being at least. As she and her two men companions were attempting to take off for Howland Island the machine crashed and burst into flames. None of the occupants were injured but the undercarriage was wrecked, other damage also being done.

STRIKERS ARE FIRM

Sit-Downers Persist in Their Refusal to Leave Chrysler Plant

DETROIT, March 20: (CP)—Representatives of six thousand sit-down strikers, defying court orders for eviction from the Chrysler plants, informed Governor Frank Murphy today that they were using "the only weapon we have" and warned that the use of state troops to eject them would "lead to bloodshed and violence."

The Chrysler Corporation indicated yesterday that it would not proceed immediately against "agents" of the union named in a writ of body attachment which was signed by Circuit Court Judge Allan Campbell ordering the arrest of the sit-downers.

Weather Forecast

(Furnished throug. the courtesy o[illegible] the Dominion Meteorological Bureau a[illegible] Victoria and Prince Rupert. This forecast is compiled from observations taken at 5 a.m. today and covers the 3[illegible] hour period ending 5 p.m. tomorrow).

General Synopsis—Pressure remains low on Vancouver Island and clear cooler weather prevails in British Columbia.

Prince Rupert District—Moderate north and east winds, partly cloudy with frost at night.

Queen Charlotte Islands—Fresh to strong northwest winds, partly cloudy, and clear, cold at night.

West Coast of Vancouver Island—Fresh to strong north and east winds, generally fair and cold at night with probable showers.

Road Engineer Loses His Life

Samuel Workman of Vancouver Killed Under Wheels of Truck At Goldstream

VICTORIA, March 20: (CP)—Samuel Workman, Vancouver road engineer, was killed yesterday when he was crushed under the wheels of a truck at Goldstream, ten miles from here.

BANDIT IS SHOT DOWN

Attempt to Hold up Ladies' Dress Establishment in Vancouver Friday Was Foiled

VANCOUVER, March 20: (CP)—George St. Louis, alias George McBurnie, is recovering in hospital from bullet wounds received when he and two companions allegedly attempted to hold up the Marietta Shoppe, ladies' dress establishment on Hastings Street East, yesterday afternoon. He was shot down by William Jude, druggist, who was called to the scene of the attempted hold-up.

William Sutherland, alias Alex Schlosser, is being held in jail for investigation.

Police are searching for the third man.

TODAY'S STOCKS

Courtesy S. D. Johnston Co.)

Vancouver

B. C. Nickel, .25.
Big Missouri, .60.
Bralorne, 8.55.
Aztec Mines, .10.
Cariboo Quartz, 1.70.
Dentonia, .19.
Golconda, .12.
Minto, .22.
Morning Star, .03.
Noble Five, .11½.
Pend Oreille, 5.64.
Pioneer, 5.25.
Porter Idaho, .09.
Premier, 3.25.
Reeves McDonald, 1.76.
Reno, 1.07.
Relief Arlington, .25.
Reward, .12.
Salmon Gold, .10½.
Taylor Bridge, .08.
Wayside, .04½.
Hedley Amalgamated, .17.
Premier Border, .03⅞.
Silbak Premier, 3.30.
Congress .07½.
Silver Crest, .09½.
Home Gold, .03.
Grandview, .18.
Indian, .04.
Quatsino Copper, .08.
Quesnel Quartz, .12.

Oils

A. P. Con., .55.
Calmont, 1.22.
C. & E., 4.35.
Freehold, .20.
McDougal Segur, .33.
Mercury, .47.
Merland, .20.
Okalta, 2.40.
Pacalta, .23.
Home Oil, 2.50.
United, .40.
Weymarn, .26.

Toronto

Beattie, 1.42.
Central Patricia, 4.55.
God's Lake, .75.
Lee Gold, .04½.
Little Long Lac, 6.70.
McKenzie Red Lake, 1.72.
Pickle Crow, 7.75.
Red Lake Gold Shore, .87.
San Antonio, 2.03.
Sherritt Gordon, 3.45.
Smelter Gold, .08.
McLeod Cockshutt, 2.55.
Oklend, .25.
Mosher, .23.
Gilbec, .04½.
Madsen Red Lake, 1.10.
Stadacona, 1.65.
Frontier Red Lake, .18.
Francoeur, 1.05.
Manitoba & Eastern, .04½.
Moneta Porcupine, 1.68.
Rubec, .09.
Thompson Cadillac, 1.42.
Bankfield, 1.30.
East Malartic, 1.73.
Preston East Dome, 1.01.
Hutchison Lake, .23.
Dawson White, .34.
McCuaig Red Lake, .17.
Rajah Red Lake, .24.
Aldermac, 1.60.
Kerr Addison, 2.79.
Uchi Gold, 1.00.
Martin Bird, .79.

Late Telegraphs

ACTION ENDORSED

OTTAWA—By a vote of 119 to 45 the House of Commons approved the King government's action in respect to the Wheat Board. The issue was in regard to a decision of last August that the fixed minimum price should remain at 87½c per bushel and the Canadian wheat board should buy no wheat unless the market went below 90c a bushel.

DEATH TOLL 455

NEW LONDON, Texas—The toll of the New London community school blast was boosted to 455 by latest checks as a military court of inquiry convened to hear contrasting theories on the cause. Some say it was due to accumulated gas as a result of inadequate rediator vents. Others think it was a nitro-glycerine explosion. Meantime there is a steady stream of funeral processions out of surrounding cities and towns to burial grounds. There was a general memorial service here today for the hundreds of victims.

ENGLAND WINS RUGBY

EDINBURGH—England captured the international rugby championship today, triumphing 6 to 3 over Scotland for the third straight victory.

MISSING AT OONA

H. F. Anderson Thought to Have Been Drowned From His Boat In Kelp Passage

Bert Hanson, postmaster at Oona River, reported to the police this morning the disappearance in Kelp Pass of H. F. Anderson, fisherman and prospector who had not been seen since Thursday. He left Oona Wednesday in his trolling boat Vic and the following day was seen anchored in Kelp Passage. The next day he was missing and his skiff was filled with water alongside the boat. His clothes were lying around as usual and everything to indicate that he had not planned to leave the boat. The inference is that he had fallen overboard and was drowned.

Mr. Anderson has a sister at Oona, Mrs. Quick, who lives with her sons, T. Axelson and Eric. He first came to the district to help build the marine station at Digby Island and later during the latter part of the war he located at Oona where he has a little home.

The place where the boat was found is the same where Billy Lane was drowned in 1923 or 1924 and a year or two later a man fell from Oscar Olsen's boat at about the same place. While it is possible that Mr. Anderson may yet be found, it is not thought probable as if he had gone ashore he would have left his skiff there.

Spokane To Puck Final

VANCOUVER, March 20: (CP)—Spokane Clippers last night defeated Vancouver Lions three to one, thus winning the right to meet Portland Buckaroos for the championship of the Pacific Coast Hockey League. It was Spokane's second victory in the best two out of three series, Vancouver having won the second game.

Rebels Reported to Have Made Way Into Northern Section Of Capital With Smashing Advance

Report to This Effect Made by Persons Claiming to Have Witnessed Entry—Activities of Italians Are Being Investigated

NAVALCARNERO, Spain, March 20: (CP)—Insurgent forces in the University City sector at Madrid's northwest corner were reported today to have smashed through the capital's defences into northern Madrid. Word of crumpled resistance and the sudden thrust into the long-besieged city was brought here by persons who said they had witnessed the incursion. The sudden advance is laid to the failure of a government attack in the University City area yesterday.

Inquiry Ordered

LONDON, March 20: (CP)—The British government has ordered inquiries into the presence of Italian troops in Spain. British representatives, it is understood, are seeking informaton in Rome itself. There were reports yesterday that Ethiopians, carried to Spain on Italian ships, were now fighting on the side of the insurgents in the civil war.

Boycott Of Coronation By Il Duce

LONDON, March 20: (CP)—Italy will boycott the coronation on May 12 of King George VI, Premier Benito Mussolini announced in an interview published yesterday by the Daily Mail because the government invited Emperor Haile Selassie of Ethiopia to seend a representative.

WANT ROAD TO TERRACE

Council of Chamber of Commerce Passes Resolution Asking For Larger Appropriations

An unusually large attendance of the council of the Chamber of Commerce was present yesterday at a meeting in the city council chamber called to consider the recommendation of the Highway Committee in regard to the local road route, whether by the canneries or by the route at present laid out by the engineers. President J. J. Little was in the chair. It was discussed for an hour and a resolution moved by G. W. Nickerson and seconded by M. P. McCaffery, which would have left the route optional, was defeated and finally the report of the committee was amended to suit the views of the council and then passed without opposition as follows:

"Your committee consider that the time is not opportune and that the expense of building a road to the canneries at this time not justified.

"Your committee recommends that in view of the probability of larger highway expenditures this year by the government of B.C and in view of the assistance that may be obtained from the federal government on trunk highway construction, that this Chamber should press vigorously for a much larger amount of construction this year beyond Taylor Lake and for continuation of the highway. And further that the government be urged to definitely ascertain, through aerial surveys, the possibility of a route to Terrace on the north side of the Skeena River.

Those present at the meeting were, in addition to the president, John Dybhavn, Max Heilbroner F. A. MacCallum, W. M. Blackstock, M. P. McCaffery, W. O Fulton, W R McAfee, G W. Nickerson, P. M. Ray, Paul Armour C. V. Evitt, S. E. Parker, Trevor Williams, H F. Pullen and the secretary.

In view of the expected visit of the premier it was the wish of the highway committee that the views of the council be obtained immediately so that Mr Pattullo might be advised as to their views on this matter.

VANCOUVER WHEAT

VANCOUVER, March 20: (CP)—Wheat was selling at $1.37⅝ today, up almost four cents from yesterday's $1.34.

DOCTOR PASSES

F. Vere Agnew, Smithers Physician and Surgeon, Victim Of Heart Attack

(Special to the Daily News)

SMITHERS, March 20:—The people of Smithers were greatly shocked last evening to learn of the sudden passing of Dr. F. Vere Agnew, formerly of Kamloops and Williams Lake. He had been attending to his practice all day and was found at 5 o'clock dead at the desk in his office where he had been writing a letter. Death had, apparently, occurred about one hour previously, evidently the result of a heart attack.

Dr. Agnew came to Smithers in 1930 when he purchased the practice of Dr. C. Hankinson, now of Prince Rupert. He had been practising at Telkwa before coming to Smithers. His wife, one son and a daughter reside at Smithers and one son is at Wells, B.C. The funeral will take place in Smithers Sunday afternoon.

RATIFY TREATY

United States and Canada Taking Necessary Formalities to Approve New Halibut Regulations

WASHINGTON, D.C., March 20: (CP)—The Senate foreign relations committee recommended to the United States yesterday the ratification of the revised treaty with Canada to preserve halibut fishing in the Northern Pacific Ocean and Bering Sea. The new pact is a revision of the agreements made in 1924 and 1930. It gives the International Fisheries Commission power to close certain waters more effectively during specified seasons, also giving effect to certain other changes in the regulations which have already been announced.

Canadian Ratification

OTTAWA, March 20: (CP)—Hon. J. E. Michaud, minister of fisheries, said last night that the bill to provide authorization on the Canadian side for revision of the halibut treaty with the United States had been ready for some time and will be introduced in the House of Commons at the earliest opportunity.

FOREMOST, Alta., March 20:—An ancient pin cushion made by a Scottish soldier stationed at Gibraltar in 1890 is owned by a Foremost resident. It is a six-pointed star of beads. In colors are the words of a lonely soldier, "Remember Me." The cushion is made up of more than 5000 beads and 1000 pins.

BOARD IS OPERATING

Halibut Industry Is Now Under Provincial Statute—Vancouver Still Holds Out

Following the passage at Victoria of the necessary order-in-council, the Halibut Marketing Board of British Columbia has been duly constituted under the Provincial Marketing Act. The board held its initial meeting last night when business included the appointment of H. M. Daggett as secretary and the fixing of Sunday as the sailing date for vessels of the fleet with names commencing with the letters A to L.

The Vancouver fleet has not appointed representatives to the marketing board as provided for but it is left open for the southern fleet to do so whenever it feels disposed. The board now consists of S. D. Macdonald, chairman; Capt. Ole Stegavig, representative of the boat owners, with Capt. Merrill Sollows as alternative, and Einar Larsen, representing the fishermen, with George Anderson as alternative.

It has been agreed that a referendum shall be taken of the whole British Columbia fleet on the question of coming under the Marketing Act before June 15. Today, J. H. Smith, formerly a well known provincial police officer at Prince Rupert and Prince George, who retired recently from the force on account of ill-health was appointed representative of the Marketing Board at Butedale.

Former Assistant Fire Chief Shot

Body of James F. Lofthus of Vancouver Found in Kitsalano Reserve Yesterday

VANCOUVER, March 20: (20)—James F. Loftus, retired former assistant fire chief, was found dead on Kitsalano Indian Reserve yesterday with a discharged shotgun by his side. He had been in poor health.

Announcement

Mr. Neil Cameron has taken over the management of --

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Italy Is Active

Setting aside the little irritating utterances of Mussolini as of political rather than international import, it may be assumed that the conquest of Ethiopia will prove to be of general advantage to the world. The objection to it was that it continued the old policy of "might is right" just at a time when the system of collective security was being tried out. But that is now past. Ethiopia is Italian territory and the Italians are now laying their plans to make it Italian in every respect.

The first step toward civilization the Romans well understood, was the building of roads. That was how Britain got her start in road building. The old Roman roads are still in evidence there. So Italy today has commenced the huge task of building highways through a wild country, draining the swamps in order to preserve the health of the inhabitants and then laying the foundation for an Italian colony which will be able to absorb the surplus population of Italy and at the same time will produce such food and other supplies as the Italians at home may need.

To commence with only men were sent to Ethiopia but as the country becomes more settled and life there less dangerous women will join their husbands and a colonial population will be gradually developed. Already last month a shipload of women, wives of officials chiefly, went to Addis Ababa and other centres.

Ethiopia has proved a costly colony. The war is said to have cost at least a billion dollars and the settlement of the country will cost a huge sum but it is just another case of where civilization has been forced upon a native people and they have in the long run benefitted very greatly.

Spectacular Show

Very few people will witness the crowning of the King. Only a few thousand at the most. But hundreds of thousands will go to London just to witness the huge coronation procession and to see the crowds of people and to rub shoulders with the throng. It will be a spectacular event and, if the weather is suitable, we shall see it all in the pictures a few weeks later. But to look at the pictures one loses the inspiration of the crowd, the spirit of the mob, the exhiliration of being one of those to cheer the King and feel that all are members of the greatest empire the world has yet seen. That is what we shall miss but by reflection we shall get part of it.

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BRITISH SCIENCE

Dean Buchanan Concludes His Extension Lectures Here Before Large Audience

Over one hundred persons crowded the city council chamber last night to hear the final extension lecture by Dean Daniel Buchanan of the University of British Columbia. Taking as his subject "Some Contributions of British Scientists," Dean Buchanan gave an historical discourse on some of the accomplishments of the British in the field of science since the Middle Ages, mentioning in more or less intimate detail the work of certain of the more outstanding men.

In the olden days, Dean Buchanan said, scientists had to agree with the theories of Aristotle and, lest they be accused of heresy, they had to approach their subject from a religious point of view. The birth of Roger Bacon (1218-1294) had heralded a new era of inquiry. For propounding a system of natural philosophy he had got in trouble with the church and had gone to prison. He had predicted sailing ships which men would steer but not row, chariots that would be propelled without any living thing drawing them and machines that would fly through the air.

William Gilbert (1544-1603), with Galileo, had been the outstanding scientist of the Sixteenth Century. He had taken the magic out of magnetism which had been his particular field of research.

Sir Isaac Newton

Sir Isaac Newton (1642-1727) received considerable attention from the speaker who led up to his discoveries in the field of gravity with a preface of early ideas on the shape and motion of the earth. A diminutive child who had no interest in school, no man had left a greater imprint on the scientific world than Newton. Almost every phase of science had been affected by his studies.

Sir Humphrey Davey (1778-1829) had experimented with gasses and did a good deal, with the theory of heat.

Michael Faraday (1791-1867), a disciple of Davey, had made great contributions in the field of electricity, laying the basis for the great inventions of Edison and others. Faraday had been asked what was the use of his electrical discoveries. "What is the use of a newborn babe?" he had asked significantly in reply. The discoveries of such men as Faraday had resulted in the ultimate production of untold millions of wealth.

Lord William Thompson Kelvin (1824-1908) had laid the Atlantic cable and perfected the mariner's compass. He had applied natural laws to the need and happiness of mankind.

Dean Buchanan mentioned briefly the works of Charles Darwin, Joseph Priestley, Dolphin Cavendish, Harvey, Jenner, Simpson, Lord Lister and Sir William Osler. "We have much to be thankful for in their contributions as pioneers of science," he declared.

Lectures Appreciated

W. W. C. O'Neill, by invitation, presided over last night's meeting and, in opening, congratulated the Junior Chamber of Commerce on the good work it had done in sponsoring these lectures. Personal tribute was also paid to Dean Buchanan. At the conclusion of the lecture, a vote of thanks was proposed by R. M. Winslow and passed with enthusiasm.

Dean Buchanan spoke appreciatively of the hospitality and courtesy he had been shown while in Prince Rupert. His visit had been completely enjoyable. Incidentally, he had seen more sunshine in the three days he had been in Prince Rupert than there had been in Vancouver since last fall.

Tri-Color Fleece On Austral Sheep

GUNDAI, N.S.W., March 20: (CP)—Sheepmen in this farming centre were wondering today whether Frank Hall's black sheep would ultimately turn white.

This season the sheep produced a three-toned fleece—black at the tip, brown in the center and pure white for an inch near the skin. Last year the fleece was black.

Reach the most people in city and district with an advertisement in the Daily News.

'SPORT'

SEMI-FINALS LAST NIGHT

City Badminton Tournament To Conclude Tonight

Results of the semi-finals in the Armory Hall last evening in the City Badminton League under the auspices of the Prince Rupert Badminton Association were as follows:

P. Woods won from J. McRae 15-9, 15-7.

Miss C. Morgan and W. Cross won from Miss B. Thompson and S. Ward 15-6; 15-4.

P. McIntosh and Geo. Mitchell won from P. Petersen and Roy Franks 15-13, 15-6.

Miss L. Brooksbank won from Miss Frances Thompson 3-11, 11-7, 11-8.

P. Woods and E. Norris defeated Bob McKay and H. Beale 15-7, 15-11.

C. J. Norrington and F. M Davis won from B. Cross and S Ward 15-12, 15-10

Draw for finals this evening is as follows:

7:15—E Norris and P. Woods vs. J. Gibson and Jack Davis.

7:40—Miss C. Morgan vs. Miss L. Brooksbank.

8:00—P. McIntosh and Geo. Mitchell vs. C. J. Norrington and F. M. Davis

8:20—Mrs O. Young and J. Gibson vs. Mrs. G. Willett and P. Wood.

8:40—Miss C Morgan and Walter Cross vs. Miss Molly Lawrence and P. McIntosh.

9:00—Miss Elsie Davis and Miss Joan Cross vs. Miss Caroline Mitchell and Mrs. G. Willett.

9:20—P. Woods vs. Roy Franks.

9:40—W. Cross vs. C. J. Norrington

Rupert Motors Leading Again

Tied With Ballinger's for Tops In Commercial Bowling League Standing

Rupert Motors defeated Gyro Club by a score of two games to one in the Commercial Ten Pin Bowling League last night and moved again into the leadership in the standing, being now tied with Ballinger's. Vic Houston of Rupert Motors was high average scorer with 160.

RUP. MOTORS—	1st	2nd	3rd
Taylor	155	170	126
D. Houston	157	144	106
Saunders	144	167	141
V. Houston	148	158	175
Robertson	155	141	118
Handicap	18	18	18
Total	777	798	684

GYRO CLUB—	1st	2nd	3rd
Morris	123	157	176
Large	155	148	143
Freeman	147	134	175
Brocklesby	127	133	151
Roaf	142	164	127
Handicap	47	47	47
Total	741	783	819

The league standing:

	W.	L.	P.
Rupert Motors	10	5	10
Ballinger's	10	8	10
Rupert Butchers	8	7	8
McMeekin's	6	6	6
Biological Station	6	15	6
Gyro Club	4	4	5

Girls' Gymnastic Competition Was Keenly Contested

An individual gymnastic competition for girls was held at the local recreational and physical education centre last night, Miss Geraldine Cade being an easy winner in a field of twenty-five contestants. Miss Cade will later be presented with a medal. There was keen competition and the winners in points were:

Geradline Cade, 531.
Jean Krause, 442.
Kitty Cameron, 440.
Alice Gomez, 409.

Don't forget when visiting Portland Canal that the Frazer Hotel is the best place to stop. (tf)

VARSITY LEADING

Moves Out on Top of Victoria Dominoes in Provincial Basketball Championship Series

VANCOUVER, March 20: (CP)—University of British Columbia Thunderbirds took a one game lead in the best three out of five game series for the provincial basketball championship here last night, defeating Victoria Dominoes by the decisive score of 42 to 22.

Old Country Soccer

English League—First Division

Arsenal 1, Birmingham 1.
Bolton Wanderers 4, West Bromwich Albion 1.
Brentford 4, Middlesbrough 1.
Derby County 5, Charlton Athletic 0.
Everton 1, Manchester City 1.
Huddersfield Town 1, Portsmouth 2.
Manchester United 1, Grimsby Town 1.
Preston North End 1, Leeds United 0.
Sheffield Wednesday 1, Liverpool 2.
Sunderland 2, Chelsea 3.
Wolverhampton Wanderers 2, Stoke City 1.

Scottish League—First Division

Aberdeen 1, Rangers 1.
Albion Rovers 0, St. Johnstone 4.
Arbroath 3, Dundee 0.
Clyde 2, Kilmarnock 0.
Dunfermline 0, Third Lanark 0.
Hamilton Academicals 5, Hearts 1.
Hibernians 1, Motherwell 2.
Partick Thistle 2, Falkirk .
Queens Park 2, Queen of South 3.
St. Mirren 1, Celtic 2.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
IN PROBATE
In the Matter of the Estate of Pierre Olaizola, Deceased
Notice to Creditors and Debtors

Take notice that bl Letters Probate dated the 4th day of January, 1937 i was appointed sole executor of the estate of Pierre Olaizola, deceased, late of Prince Rupert, British Columbia, and all parties having claims against the said estate are hereby required to furnish the same properly verified to me on or before the 30th of April 1937, and all parties indebted to the said estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to me forthwith.

Dated the 11th day of March, 1937
THEO COLLART,
Prince Rupert, B. C.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
IN PROBATE
In the Matter of the "Administration Act"
And
In the Matter of the Estate of Daniel Stegavig, Deceased

Take notice that by order of his Honor Judge Fisher dated the 10th day of March 1937, I was appointed Administrator of the Estate of Daniel Stegavig, Deceased, late of Port Edward, B. C., and all parties having claims against the said Estate are hereby required to furnish same, properly verified to me on or before the 30th day of April 1937 and all parties indebted to the Estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness to me forthwith.

NORMAN A. WATT,
Official Administrator,
Prince Rupert, B.C

Dated the 11th day of March 1937.

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SUNDAY SERVICES
11 A.M., Communion Service, "IN REMEMBRANCE"
12:30, Sunday School
7:30 P.M., "SIFTED FOR SERVICE"
Dr. Stevenson will preach
Strangers and visitors always welcome

FIRST UNITED CHURCH
C. D. CLARKE, Minister

Choir Leaders: J. S. Wilson, Geo. Wilson
Organist: Miss S. Olafson, A.T.C.M.

SUNDAY SERVICES
11 A.M., Pre-Easter Communion Service
Subject: "IN BREAKING OF BREAD"
All members and adherents are urged to attend
7:30 P.M. "GETHSEMANE"
a sacred Cantata will be presented by an augmented choir
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LOCAL NEWS NOTES

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Mrs. R. E. Legg and family sailed last night on the Princess Louise for Vancouver.

Frazer Hotel, the only steam heated hotel in Portland Canal, situated at Hyder, B.C. (tf)

Mrs. M. P. McCaffery sailed last night on the Princess Louise for a brief trip to Vancouver and Victoria.

P. Ringby, who has been identified with the staff of Van's Bakery here, sailed last night on the Cardena for Vancouver.

Albert Farrow, steamboat inspector, sailed last night by the Princess Louise on his return to Vancouver after a week's visit here on official duties.

Mrs. J. C. K. Sealy arrived in the city on Thursday night's train from Hazelton and sailed aboard the steamer Prince George for a trip to Vancouver and Victoria.

Dean Daniel Buchanan of the University of British Columbia after spending three days in the city conducting a series of extension lectures, sailed by the Princess Louise last night on his return to Vancouver.

Mrs. Nick Gurvich and son, Mike, returned home on the Princess Louise yesterday afternoon from the south. Mrs. Gurvich while visiting in San Francisco had the misfortune to have both wrists as well as her pelvis fractured in a fall from the effects of which injuries she has not been making as satisfactory a recovery as might have been hoped for. She had to be carried ashore from the steamer.

Miss Jessie McLenaghan, director of home economics for the Department of Education, in the course of her semi-annual northern trip on inspection duties, arrived on the Princess Louise yesterday afternoon from Ocean Falls and will be here until Tuesday afternoon when she will sail by the Catala on her return to Victoria. Miss McLenahgan is the guest while here of her sister, Mrs. T. McClymont.

Announcements

University extension lectures April 7, 8 and 9, City Hall—Dean Finlayson.

Prince Rupert Boys' Band Concert, First Presbyterian Church Wednesday, March 24.

Easter Tea, March 24, Legion Rooms.

Queen Mary Daffodil Tea, Mrs. Parkin's, March 29.

Cathedral Spring Sale, April 1.

Junior Chamber Dance, Friday, April 2.

Dancing display, Oddfellows' Hall, April 2.

Recreation Centre final display Exhibition Building, April 3.

Baptist tea, sale of aprons, April 7.

Eastern Star Coronation Bridge, April 6, Oddfellows Hall.

Presbyterian Choir Concert, April 7.

United Church tea, Annette Fashion Show, April 8.

Circus—First United Church, April 9-10.

April 10, A. Y. P. A. Tea, Cathedral Hall.

H. M. S. Pinafore, April 14, April 15, Capitol Theatre.

C. N. R. A. annual dance, Moose Hall, April 16.

St. Peter's Sale, May 6.

Gyro Club Coronation Dance, Moose Hall, May 12.

Recital, Miss Way and Miss Olafson's students, May 18.

Unemployed meeting. C.L.D.L. Hall, Sunday 8 p.m. (67)

John Kristmanson sailed last night on the Cardena for a trip to Vancouver.

Badminton City Tournament final games tonight at Armory Hall at 7:15. Adm. 25c. (67)

Dan S. Hill of the Surf Point mine sailed Thursday night on the Prince George for Vancouver.

Tonight's train, due from the East at 10:20, was reported this morning to be fifty minutes late.

T. W. Hall, inspector of schools returned to the city on the Cardena last night from a trip to Namu district on official duties.

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Rev. C. D. Clarke, pastor of First United Church, returned to the city on the Princess Louise yesterday afternoon from a week's trip to Vancouver.

D. E. Kilgour of Toronto, general manager of the North American Life Assurance Co., and E. H. Hanley, also of Toronto supervisor of the western district for the company, will visit Prince Rupert next week in the course of a western tour. They will arrive from Vancouver on the steamer Prince Rupert in the morning and proceed to Edmonton by the evening train.

Women's Labor League Holds Whist-Dance

A whist drive and dance was held last evening in the C. L. D. L. Hall under the auspices of the Women's Labor League. Whist prizes were as follows:

Ladies' first, Mrs. P. Whyte; second, Mrs. R. Adcock; men's first, W. Nyland; second, J. Karer.

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The fire department had a call at 9 o'clock this morning to a smoke scare at the Empire office. No damage was done.

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Children's Story Hour Season Is Now Near End

The last Story Hour of the season for children between the ages of nine and twelve was held this morning. Mrs. J. T. Mandy finished the exciting serial, "The Runaway Road" and introduced an Easter theme with the old myth of "Narcissus." Dr. Mandy entertained through the relating of a modern hero story, "The One-Legged Plane" and a humorous tale, "All Mutt." Books were presented as attendance prizes to Hemsby King and Norma Raybone.

Children between the ages of four and eight will be entertained at their last story hour of the season next Saturday morning by Mrs. Robertson and Dr. and Mrs. Mandy.

Today's Weather

(Government Telegraphs)

Terrace—Clear, east wind, 34.
Aiyansh—Clear, calm, 33.
Alice Arm—Clear, calm, 37.
Stewart—Clear, calm, 35.
Hazelton — Cloudy, southeast wind, 32.
Smithers—Cloudy, calm, cool
Burns Lake—Clear, calm, 20.
Victoria — Cloudy, northeast wind, 12 miles per hour; barometer, 29.76.
Estevan—Clear, northeast wind 4 miles per hour; barometer, 29.70.
Vancouver—Cloudy, calm, barometer, 29.80.
Prince George — Fair, north wind, 12 miles per hour; barometer, 30.00.
Triple Island— Part cloudy north wind, 14 miles per hour; moderate choppy sea.
Langara Island— Part cloudy northeast wind, 14 miles per hour, light swell.

PROUD RECORD

GLEICHEN, Alta., March 20: (CP)—Miss Betty Kelly is proud of here record at the United Church of Canada Sunday school here. She has not missed a Sunday in more than seven years.

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Waterfront Whiffs

Balance of Halibut Fleet Leaving This Week-End—First Big Sale Expected Monday—Vancouver Vessels Here Enroute to Banks

Vessels of the Prince Rupert halibut fleet with names starting with the letters from A to L will start moving out to the halibut banks tomorrow, a week after the departure of M to Z boats. It is expected that the first of the M to Z boats will be getting back to port with their initial catches for sale on the Prince Rupert Exchange on Monday morning. The fish will, of course, miss the Easter market in the East but the hope is that fair prices will be paid unless too heavy a quantity of fish comes in all at once. Since the commencement of the season's fishing operations on Monday less than 2000 pounds has been sold at Prince Rupert, the price being 8c and 6c to 8.5c and 6.5c. The fish were caught in nearby local waters by a few small boats.

Local halibut boats of the A to L group which had taken out their clearances up to noon today for the first trips of the season to the halibut banks included Bum, Capt. W. Pierce; Point May, Capt. A. Anderson; Dundas, Capt D. Lund; F. G. W., Capt. F Wick; Torbjorg A., Capt. A. Arnsten; Kyrelle, Capt. H. Foroy; Arctic I, Capt. A. Kildal; Joe Baker, Capt. Clarence Campbell; Gem, Capt. P. Rosang; Drott, Capt. F. Peterson; Covenant Capt. Hans Underdahl; Dominc II, Capt. H. Wahl; Helen II, Capt Peter Byrne; Aleve, Capt. Fred Blunden.

The halibut boat Johan W., formerly Lysekil, Capt. Al Woie, which had spent the winter in Vancouver, arrived at Prince Rupert on Thursday on her way to the grounds for her first trip of the season. The Johan W. belongs to William Fidler of Vancouver who is having a new 75 foot boat, equipped with a 135 h.p. Easthope engine, built. The new vessel is expected to be ready in June. Capt. Woie will take command of it.

The Charmine C., Capt. B. M. Newell, is another boat which will pass through Prince Rupert enroute from Vancouver to the fishing grounds. It is due this week-end, continuing its northward voyage a day or so later.

Returning to her regular run on the Vancouver-Bella Coola-Ocean Falls-Skeena River-Prince Rupert route after an absence of six weeks, Union steamer Cardena, Capt. W. W. Mounce, arrived in port at 10:30 last night and sailed at midnight on her return to Vancouver and waypoints. The vessel had called at Kitimaat on the way north.

Armour Salvage Co.'s power tug Algie, Capt. Henry Hanson, northbound from Vancouver to Prince Rupert via Cumshewa Inlet, Queen Charlotte Islands, with scow in tow, was off Cape Lazo at 8 o'clock last evening.

The Pachena, of the Armour Salvage Co. fleet, is at the McLean yard at Seal Cove at present for changing of propellor and painting. She will be out of the yard at the first of the week.

SCOUT LAKE, Sask., March 20: (CP)—Jake Pilsener, coyote trapper, received a pleasant surprise when he found a full-grown silver fox in one of his traps. It brought him a check for $60. Silver fox seldom stray this far south.

Teachers Hear Dean Buchanan

Visiting Educator Addresses Local Pedagogues on Matters Of Interest to Profession

Dean Daniel Buchanan of the University of British Columbia gave an interesting informal address on pedagogical and other matters before the teachers of the city at a meeting in the domestic science parlors of Booth Memorial School yesterday afternoon. J. S. Wilson, president of the Prince Rupert Teachers' Association, was in the chair. A vote of thanks was tendered to Dean Buchanan on motion of Nelson Allen. Refreshments were served.

St. Peter's Tea And Sale Held

Successful Affair Yesterday Afternoon at Home of Mrs. C. J. Norrington

A very successful tea and sale of home cooking was held yesterday afternoon by the Woman's Auxiliary of St. Peter's Anglican Church at the home of Mrs. C. J. Norrington, Seal Cove. Many ladies called to patronize the affair. They were received by Mrs J. E. Birchall, wife of the rector, and Mrs. George Kelsey, president of the Woman's Auxiliary.

Those in charge of the tea room were Mrs. Norrington, Mrs. W. Smith, Mrs. G. E. Moore, Mrs W O Vigar and Mrs. A. Barbe Mrs. D. Sievert was cashier and Mrs A. H. Hill-Tout was in charge of the home cooking table

The rooms were prettily decorated with spring flowers.

Nutty Club Has Happy Meeting

Session of Sewing Followed By Bridge Playing, Set of Quadrilles and Refreshments

The "Nutty Club" held its fortnightly meeting last night at the home of Miss Jean Scott, the gathering proving most enjoyable to the members. The early part of the evening was spent in sewing. Later bridge was played with Miss Doris Webster winning first prize and Miss Helen Hampton, second. Refreshments were served and a set of quadrilles enjoyed. The young ladies present were Misses Jean Scott, Nora Rudderham, Jessie Cherry, Evelyn White, Helen Hampton, Lillian Davies and Doris Webster and Mrs. William Richards.

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HOSPITAL BOARD MAKES PUBLIC STATEMENT

(Continued from Page 1)

no option in the matter. This may appear to make hospital financing somewhat easy but when one considers the number of patients treated from such a large area covered by the hospital who are unable to pay anything towards their hospitalization and some of whom have been patients for a number of years, it will be apparent that the matter of finance is always a serious problem.

Hospital's Assets

"With regard to the present assets of the association, it is, of course, impossible to place upon them a real value. These assets briefly enumerated consist of real estate, hospital building and equipment, including splendidly modern equipped operating and case rooms, and x-ray apparatus, together with a considerable amount of furniture, fixtures, linen, bedding and surgical supplies, etc.

"There is also the Nurses' Home, a building in a splendid state of repair, well furnished and equipped. While the actual value of the building viewed from any other occupancy may not be high, we must remember that under existing conditions they are of paramount value to the citizens of Prince Rupert and district.

"There is one matter which may have caused the public some concern and that is the publication of the assistant fire marshal's report on the condition of the present hospital building and its danger from fire. The existence of this report has been known to the board for some time and it was the considered and unanimous opinion of that body that in the public interest it would be unwise to make it known. I want, however, to point out that the board took immediate action on receipt of this report and over a year ago a delegation was appointed and sent to Victoria to place the facts before the provincial government. In the meantime and until we were assured of substantial financial aid from the government it was deemed unwise to provoke alarm in the minds of the people when no other accommodation could be provided.

"Furthermore, while it is recognized that a new and completely modern building is imperative, it must be remembered that the hospital today is better equipped against the hazard of fire than it was when built. The board has at all times carried out the suggestions of the fire marshal as is instanced by the fact that the furnace room is lined with galvanized iron, fireproof iron doors installed on each floor, fire-escape lights on separate circuits, additional and more accessable fire-escapes have been built, fire alarm system communication between the hospital and nurses' home, up-to-date fire extinguishers, sterilizing equipment changed from gasoline to electricity, electric wiring in conduit, with concrete slab under the kitchen range.

"The idea of a modern hospital is not a new one. As far back as 1928 the board asked the city to arrange to set aside a sum each year for a new building but, apparently due to economic conditions, the city could not see its way clear to do so. Even today we are informed by the City Commissioner that we can expect no financial aid from the city.

"In the light of the fire marshal's report it is to be hoped the public will line up solidly behind the board in support of its effort to raise the sum necessary to enable it to start the building of a new wing immediately.

"The object of this communication is simply to convey information to the public and not in any spirit of controversy whatsoever.

"G. P. Tinker,
"President,
"Board of Directors,
"Prince Rupert General Hospital Association."

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