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DUO IIA POLICIA I DIA PROVED DEI DA HUNAL

NUMBER OF CHANGES IN NORTHERN ELECTORAL DISTRICTS TO BE

Sensational Evidence in Drug Commission Investigation Being Held Regarding Police Methods

instruction from Eccles.

Witness said that W. L. Smith.

Jones said he knew that Eccles

mounted police but he thought

that in the transactions named

Eccles and his associates were

The commissioner refused

e activities of the accused men

FISH ARRIVALS

500 Pounds of Halibut

Valorous, 9,000 pounds;

this Morning

Today's sales:

admit any evidence relating

members of the drug squad.

he had no proof of this.

the methods used by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police nar- VOLUNTEER LEAVING cotic squad in its operations against Oriental offenders was given before the commissioner who is conducting inquiries into their when several officers were charged with illegal handling of nar-

Annie Jones, wife of Harry Jones, longshoreman, testified she was asked by Constables F. W. Eccles, one of the accused

PERRY ACTIVE

Motion Asking Federal Government to Take Action in Regard to Railway

Perry, Liberal member for Fort At her home Eccles came and Pacific mills. George riding in the Legisla- watched another Chinaman take ture, will on Monday move in the possession of the stuff, remark- CANADIAN SEIGNEUR House a resolution calling upon ing that it was "worth a lot of CANADIAN SEIGNEUR the Legislature to urge upon the money and he hated to let it go." federal government and the direc- Witness said she had been actorate of the C.N.R. the advisa- quainted with Eccles for some bility of making a most search- years. She admitted that she had ing investigation of railway carried drugs off the boat two routes from Prince George to the years before. Peace River district, as affording the most economic route for the \$1,200 as their share of the movement of grain from Peace transaction and that he paid over River to the Pacific coast and also half that sum to Frank Fernanpromising the opening up of a greater area of territory having traffic possibilities for Canadan Natonal lines,

P.G.E. AGAIN auto in pursuit.

Premier Says Esling Deliberately Chose Unqualified Person to Investigate Accounts

VICTORIA, Nov. 23 .- Denying charges that he was blocking a full investigation into P. G. E. railway affairs, Premier Oliver counter attacked on the member for Rossiand in the legislature yesterday with the assertion that Mr. Esling deliberately selected an nqualified person to go into the P.G.E. accounts in the "hope in connection with activites of the and expectation that such person would be refused access to accused. the accounts."

"In other words," the premier declared, "Mr. Esling prefers a manufactured grievance to real examination of the accounts by a chartered accountant selected by himself."

GOVERNMENT FLEET ON PACIFIC COAST

over until tomorrow. C.G.M.M. steamer Canadian Trooper is being brought from Montreal to the Pacific Coast to Lumen, 6,000 pounds, and Scout. Grazing Commission Starts an enter the coastwise freighting 3,500 pounds, at 17c and 9c, to service between British Colum- the Atlin Fisheries. bia and California ports. She is Atlantic, 30,000 pounds, at due to arrive in Vancouver dur- 16.6c and 10c, to the Canadian ing the first week in December Fish & Cold Storage Co. and, now that Prince Rupert is! the coastal boots she may post CONFER WITH STATES the coastal boats, she may possibly be seen in this port before

North Vancouver.

DOCK THIS EVENING

Will Take Place This After-

Testing of the overhaul work men, to go aboard a transpacific on the C.G.M.M. steamer Canaliner to bring off drugs. She and dian Volunteer which has been her husband conspired to do this, in progress for the past few NEW PROVINCIAL She wore a special skirt with a weeks at the local dry dock will FOR RIDING deep hem in which she eventually take place this afternoon and stored eleven packages of alleged the boat should be off the ponnarcotics delivered to her by a toons by this evening. Every-Chinaman in the ship. She also thing proving satisfactory, she carried off the ship three or four will proceed to the Grand Trunk sealed fins tucked under her Pacific wharf to load Duthie mine arms. She was paid by the ore for California. Then she Chinaman ten dollars a package will go to Ocean Falls to com-VICTORIA, Nov. 23. - H. G. to carry it ashore. plete cargo with paper from the

C.G.M.M. Steamer Coming Here Next Month is Slightly Larger Than Canadian Scottish Harry Jones said he received

C.G.M.M. steamer Canadian Seigneur, which will arrive here late next month from Australia dez, police informer, who also to load lumber for Japan, is a was charged with breach of the vessel of 8,000 tonnage and is Drugs Act. This was done on slightly larger than the Canadian Scottish. She was built by the third of three officers Vickers at Montreal in 1919.

charged, chased a Chinaman to whom he. Jones, had Melivered MANY NOMINATIONS drugs but lost the Chinaman's

was leader of the drug squad of Conservatives Alone Will Have About Six Hundred Candidates in Field

LONDON, Nov. 23.-It is an working for what they could make ticipated that official nominafor themselves. He admitted that tions on Monday will produce 1,to 500 candidates for the election. to which takes place early in December. Conservatives will have prior to the time they became nearly 600, Liberals 450. Labor about the same, including Tomorrow the commission will 20 women.

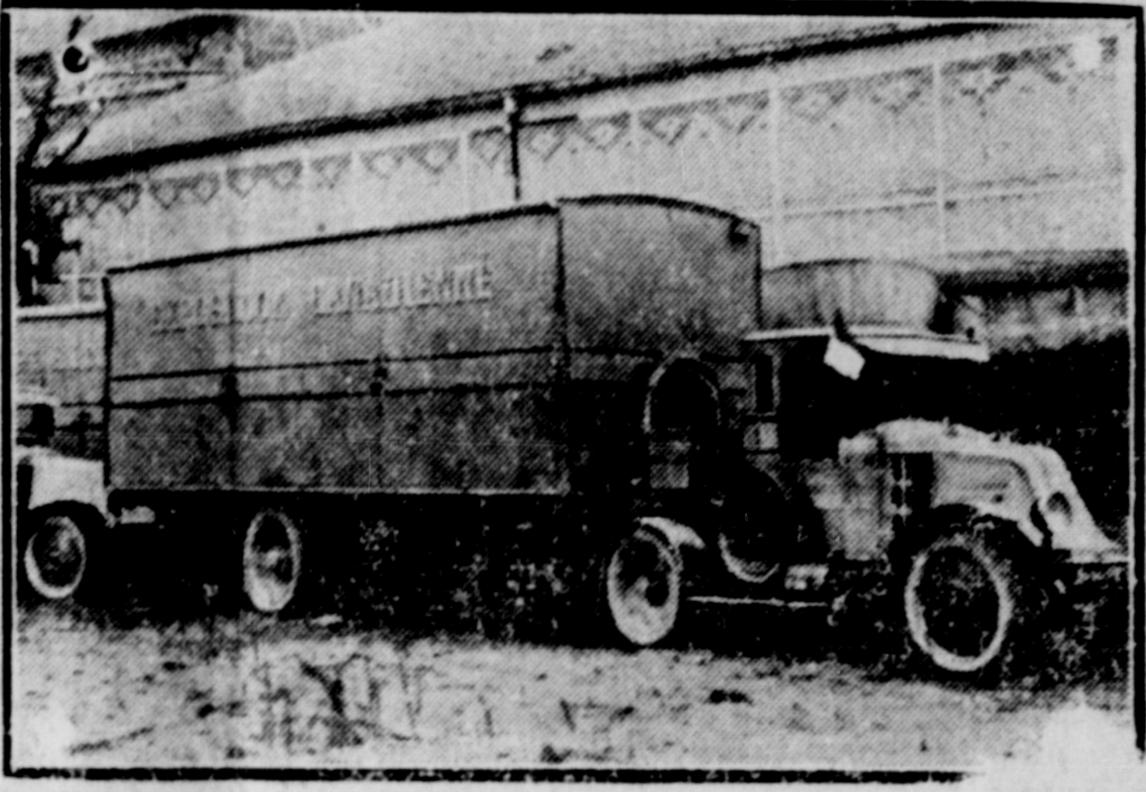
sit in Okalla penitentiary where certain prisoners will be heard BIG LIOUOR HAUL

Four American Boats Sold 48,- said to be a record liquor seizure at a private residence in Victoria was made here Thursday when the police raided the home of Four American boats sold 48,- Jack Day, retired hotelman, and 500 pounds of halibut at the took possession of wet goods Fish Exchange this morning, valued at \$5,000, none of the There were no Canadian arri-containers of which bore the govarrived at noon and is holding police.

PRICE OF BEEF

Investigation Into Conditions Governing Stock Industry

just why the price of beef is so gration plan had been evolved by with that population, would you teer which is here now. She was running is set to open here on the amount of beef consumed in adians. built in 1919 by Wallace's at November 27 and is expected to the province while the other 75 "Canada can absorb 300,000 the best governed, and British Usk to take up their permanent on the Prince George last evenper cent has to be imported. | new citizens annually Supposing | (continued on page two) | residence on Ambrose Avenue. ing.



The Canadian exhibition road trains have returned to Paris after a successful exhibition tour of France.

POLICE BOAT IS TO BE INSPECTED

Chief Constable Saint Salled Last Night For South to Look Over Cruiser Adanac

To inspect and possibly bring back to this port a new gashoat for provincial police service out of Prince Rupert. Acting Chief IS MONTREAL BOAT Constable Alex Saint sailed last night for the south on steamer Prince George. craft which it is proposed to send here to replace the Myfanwy. sold some time ago to the Prince Rupert Boat House, is named the Adanac. She is 40 feet long and has been used by the boiler inspector's department. The boat

During the absence of Constable Saint, Constable Harry Martin is in charge of the chief constables duties in the district. Chief Constable Spiller. who is coming here to succeed Chief Minty, recently transferred, EXPECTED MONDAY is expected very soon and may come back with Constable Saint. Constable Saint had with him last night a prisoner from Ter-

FUNERAL OF GEORGE FITZMAURICE WILL TAKE PLACE SUNDAY

Great War Veterans' Associa- The mill towns of Swanson dertakers' Pariors to St. An- as Mackenzie. tery where last solemn military George constituency. rites will be observed with gun

is at present at New Westmin- LATE HARRY MOORE WAS BURIED TODAY

Funeral this Afternoon Under Auspices of Deep Sea Fishermen's Union, Archdeacon Rix Officiating

serve four months at Okalla for noon from the B.C. Undertakers' creased by one. sen and Alonzo Cook.

VICTORIA, Nov. 23.— What is Pattullo Declares People are Satisfied with the Government Immigration a Vital Question limits of the riding are to be ex-

"We must have more people in Canada-we can't stand vals. The Vansee, 50,000 lbs., ernment label, according to the still," Hon. T. D. Pattullo, minister of lands, declared in the Legislature as he outlined the settlement needs of British Col-

"If you stop people coming in you stop progress," the minister warned. Immigration, he declared, is the most important one constituency. issue before the public today. More people had come to Canada up to 1921 than had left the country, he added, and it was only due to the lack of comprehensive colonization policy that citizens GERMANY CONFISCATES had left Canada since that time.

money, grazing commissioner he pointed out. ter to have those 300,000 people of the Reichswehr, has ordered the point of destination before OVER RUM RUNNING Mackenzie is going to Kamldops Canada need not be afraid of right here in our own country." the dissolution of the communication coming. to meet the stockbreeders next the ebb and flow of population. The minister claimed a modest ist party and the confiscation The Canadian Trooper is of OTTAWA, Nov. 23.-A confer- Monday. He says he intends to Mr. Pattullo asserted. Many years credit for having stimulated an of its funds. 5,000 tonnage and she is a sis- ence between Canada and the find out why British Columbia ago one-fourth of the population immigration sentiment. He d-e

VICTORIA, Nov. 23 .- To find Now, however, an active immi- you had an island off the coast

low in British Columbia that the federal government, a plan go out after their business? Cercattle breeders cannot make any already producing good results, tainly, and it would be much bet- von Seeckt, national commander tlers should know conditions at ter ship to the Canadian Volun- United States in regard to rum can furnish only 25 per cent of of Chicago was made up of Can- clared Canada to be the most fa- Mrs. L. Bunn, and family, ar- C.G.M.M. Canadian Volunteer, vored country in the world and rived on last night's train from were passengers for Vancouver

Changes Made Prince Rupert Constituency; Omineca Much Larger

Prince Ceorge Includes Peace River: Paper Towns Grouped into new Riding; Omineca gets two Members.

(Special Despatch to Daily News) · VICTORIA, Nov. 23.—Under the terms of the redistribution bill as drafted and introduced into the Legislature Prince Rupert constituency is to be reduced to less than half its former

lotte Islands and the islands between them' and the mainland. Omieca is to be extended and given two members, its area covering all the country from Kaien Island on the west almost

area, it now to include only Kaien Island, Prince Rupert City,

the Tsimpsean peninsula including Port Simpson, Queen Char-

The late George S. Fitzmanrice to Prince George in the east and including the lakes country. will be laid to rest in Fairview and the towns of Terrace, Cemetery on Sunday afternoon Smithers, Telkwa and Burns PREMIER SAYS with full military honors, the Lake.

tion and North B.C. Regiment Bay, Ocean Falls and Powell being jointly in charge of the River with the country interarrangements. The body will vening will be grouped to form be removed from the B.C. Un- a new constituency to be known

the drew's Anglican Church where There will be no separate conthe service will be performed at stituency of Peace River but it 3:15 o'clock. Thence the cortege is grouped with Prince George will proceed to Fairview Ceme- and McBride to form the Prince

> (By Canadian Press) Provincial Legislature but Esmain intact under the Govern- him away. ment's redistribution bill which will be brought down in the House this week.

One More Member

The Legislature will consist of 48 instead of 47 members as at present, according to the first announcement of the plans The funeral of the late Harry made by Premier Oliver yester-Moore, who died yesterday morn-day. The electoral districts of for the people of Britain and ing in the Prince Rupert General the province will be overhauled whatever the result of the elecrace, Walter Bannister, who is to Hospital, took place this after- and the membership total in-

a second offense of drunkenness. Parlors to Fairview Cemetery Vancouver's membership reunder the auspices of the Deep mains at six but the new con- are at present, most cordial. L. Jessen, district superin- Sea Fishermen's Union. Arch- stituency of Burnaby will be tendent for Boyle Bros., the eacon G. A. Rix officiated and created. Two other new con-Spokane diamond drilling con- the pallbearers were John stituencies will be created, cern, was a passenger for Van- Thomas, Bert Sheppard, George Creston and Mackenzie. Cres- ALL OILAIDE couver on the Prince George Abbott, Abe King, Henry Jorgen-ton is to comprise all the southern portion of the former Floral tributes were received constituency of Kaslo and a C. Parkvold, local halibut from Mr. and Mrs. George portion of the old Trail disfisherman, sailed last night by Davies, Charles Phillips, Fisher-trict. Mackenzie will include Charge Made That Immigrants the Prince George for Vancou- men's Club, Carl Johnson, Billy extensive coast areas such as the ver enroute to Saskatoon on a Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. Olier former mainland polls of the pre-Besner and Mrs. S. E. Quarles. sent Comox riding and a number of the polls from the mainland part of Prince Rupert constit-

Omineca is to include a vast area in the far north and will have two members. posite Prince Rupert and to a line drawn north south immediately west Prince George.

Kamloops will have two members. Grand Forks and Green-there and meanwhile Mrs. Smith. wood will be combined to form

Will Offer No Opinion on British Elections Which are Domestic Affair

CORDIAL RELATIONS

LONDON, Nov. 23. - Premier Mackenzie King and party left salute and the sounding of "The VICTORIA, Nov. 23 .- Victoria for home today. A crowd of Last Post." will lose one member in the Canadians and British Government officials as well as private quimalt constituency will re- friends at the station cheered

> Before leaving he told newspapermen he had no sentiments to offer as a farewell. To his mind the general results of the Imperial Conference could not

> have been more satisfactory. Asked regarding the British elections, the Canadian premier said it was a domestic matter tions might be the relations of Canada with the mother country would remain exactly as they

Brought as Result of Mrs. Smith's Campaign In-

VICTORIA, Nov. 23. - The. British Columbia Government moved to day to get to the botas tom of charges that penniless The Britishers had been brought to limits of the riding are to be ex- Nanaimo from England as a result of Mrs. Mary Ellen Smith's East immigration work and were now and stranded in Nanaimo.

J. D. McNiven, deputy minister of labor, is in Nanaimo today investigating conditions is urging the Federal Government immigration department to prevent a recurrence of the Nanaimo situation. In a telegram to the immigration de-FUNDS OF COMMUNISTS partment she declared there should be more cohesion between federal officials in hand-BERLIN, Nov. 23.—General ling new settlers and that set-

> F. Cooper, E. H. Owen and H. Davies, members of the crew of