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## TUSCAN PRINCE WRECKED AND CREW SAVED

### NO AMNESTY GRANTED REBELS IN IRELAND WHO CONTINUE THE FIGHTING

#### Crew of Steamer Tuscan Prince Rescued from an Island on West Coast

VICTORIA, Feb. 17.—The steamship Tuscan Prince, for which an intensive search has been made since the flashing of messages of distress early Thursday morning, was found yesterday afternoon a total wreck on a small rocky island near Bamfield Point on Vancouver Island.

The crew of 43 men were suffering severely from exposure on the rocks and on the bow of the boat. Fourteen of them were taken off last night by a surf boat from the life saving station at Bamfield Creek.

SEATTLE, Feb. 17.—All the members of the crew of the steamer Tuscan Prince were aboard the coast guard cutter Ketchikan this morning on the way to Port Angeles.

#### MAKE CHANGES AT CUMBERLAND IN COAL MINES

Plans to be Eliminated as soon as Whites Secured to Take Places

VICTORIA, Feb. 17.—The jury which investigated the Cumberland mine explosion has been unable to determine the cause of the explosion which killed 33 miners on February 8.

The miners decided to return to work in the mine on the conditions offered by the company which provide for elimination of the long wall system of mining as soon as possible and the employment of Orientals only until such time as white men can be obtained in sufficient numbers to take their places.

#### SCHOONER HAS LEFT BUCKLEY

El Abeto Takes First Cargo of Rough Lumber to Los Angeles

Loaded with the first cargo of cants to be taken from the Massett Timber Co.'s mill at Buckley Bay to Los Angeles for remanufacture, the steam schooner El Abeto cleared on Thursday afternoon from Buckley Bay with over a million feet of rough lumber aboard. The vessel's destination is San Pedro and she is taking an outside course off the west coast of Vancouver Island. Captain Douglas Edenshaw piloted her out of Massett Inlet.

The Seattle schooner, Spokane, one of the fleet of barkentines which is taking away the old spruce stock to Puget Sound, is still loading at Buckley Bay.

Frost early in the week curtailed operations in the logging camps slightly but the mill is still running steadily on single shift.

Ten more men arrived at Buckley Bay on the steamer Prince John from Vancouver this week.

#### WEATHER WAS NEVER COLDER

A Severe Snap in History of Queen Charlottes Reported by Indian Agent

The most severe weather in recollection of living residents of the Queen Charlottes experienced during the last night according to Indian agent Deasy, of Massett, who lived in the city on the Prince of Wales last night. Even the Indians said that it was the worst they had ever seen. At the beginning of the week it was cold and on Sunday a severe blizzard raged which tended to further accentuate the low temperature. The thermometer went to six below at Jedway. This was the first time a reading below zero was recorded on the Islands. There was very little snow on the lower levels. The weather is now moderating, Deasey said, and on Thursday night there was rain.

#### WOODSWORTH RULED OUT OF ORDER BY SPEAKER OF HOUSE

OTTAWA, Feb. 17.—After more warm speeches in the House of Commons, Friday, the resolution proposed by James Woodsworth, of Winnipeg, that Canada withdraw her claim on Germany for reparations was declared by the speaker to be out of order and the debate ended.

The leaders of all three parties declared their opposition to the resolution.

#### LIBERALS HAVE NEW OFFICERS

Fred Roberge is Chosen President For Year at Meeting Last Night

#### LARGE NUMBER ATTEND Association Takes on New Life With Advent of New Blood on Executive

One of the best attended annual meetings of the Prince Rupert Liberal Association since its inception, took place last night in Metropole Hall when Fred Roberge, secretary of the recently formed young Liberal club was unanimously chosen president and other officers for the year were elected. It was evident from the opening that something was astir for many new faces were seen at the meeting and there was a general feeling that changes were about to take place.

Several names in addition to that of Mr. Roberge were placed in nomination but each withdrew and no ballot was taken, the president being the unanimous choice of the gathering. Later in the evening he was complimented by all the speakers and personally by many of the members when the meeting was over, and especially by the older members of the association who welcomed the advent of young blood. The proceedings throughout were most harmonious and everyone seemed enthusiastic. The list of officers for the year are:

**New Officers**  
Hon. Presidents—Right Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King and Hon. John Oliver.  
Hon. Vice-presidents—Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Hon. A. M. Manson, Fred Stork, M.P., and F. G. Dawson.

President—Fred Roberge.  
First Vice-president—Alderman Theo. Gollart.  
Second Vice-president—Colonel S. P. McYrdie.  
Treasurer—James McNulty.  
Secretary—Martin O'Reilly.  
Executive—W. E. Williams, Jas. Neville, E. W. Henning, H. F. Glassy, Bert Morgan, Leon Blain, Harvey Fraser, W. M. Brown and J. Nelson.

While the ballots were being counted addresses were given by a number of those present. Thomas McClymont, the retiring president, said while no election (Continued on Page 4.)

#### BRITISH GOVERNMENT GETS LARGE VOTE IN HOUSE OF COMMONS

LONDON, Feb. 17.—The House of Commons this afternoon rejected by a vote of 277 to 180 the Labor amendment on the address in reply to the speech from the throne regretting the absence of any indication of policy in dealing with the grave situation in Europe and the Near East and questions of unemployment and reduced wages in England.

#### INDIAN CHIEF DIED RECENTLY AT MASSETT

Richard Neylands, Aged 75, Former Head of Massetts, Dropped Dead Last Week

MASSETT, Feb. 17.—Richard Neylands, aged 75, former head chief of the Massett Indian tribe, dropped dead here last week. He was buried by the Church Army with Rev. J. B. Gillatt officiating. A widow and family survive.

#### Prince Rupert's Advantages as an Ocean Port Set Forth in Post Card Just Issued

A card showing the advantages of Prince Rupert as an ocean port on one side and a picture of the new dock on the other has just been issued by the publicity committee of the Board of Trade and copies are being sent to all members of the Dominion parliament and of the Alberta Legislature. A limited number are being placed at stores where picture postcards are usually sold and Prince Rupert citizens are asked to co-operate with the Board of Trade by buying these cards and sending them to people whom they think may be interested. Following is the information given on the card:

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The Canadian National has to pay tolls to the Great Northern and G.P.R. on every ton exported through Vancouver.

Dredging will never be necessary at Prince Rupert. Why then spend millions for dredging other Pacific ports? Board of Trade Publicity Committee.

#### Coal and Gold Mining on Queen Charlotte Islands is Carried on at Two Different Points, says Deasy

A company of Eastern capitalists, represented by W. G. McMorris, of Vancouver, are opening up a coal mine on Slate Chuck Creek near Queen Charlotte City with the ultimate intention of building a pulp mill to be run by nearby water power and the coal produced, according to Thomas Deasy, Indian Agent from Massett, who arrived in the city last night.

Mr. Deasy also reported that a Mr. Faulds of Vancouver had arrived at Moresby Island last week to open up the Southeastern gold mine near Skidegate. This property was formerly operated by a Cobalt company and considerable work was done upon it some years ago. Further development work is to be carried out this summer.

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+ BRITISH DEBT IS FUNDED BY STATES +  
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#### WANT PEACE IN IRELAND

Proposal For Month's Truce Made by 20,000 Neutral Members of Army

DUBLIN, Feb. 17.—An association of neutral members of the Irish republican army representing 20,000 members last night forwarded to the Free State leaders and heads of the republican movement proposals for a truce for a month to permit submission of peace negotiations.

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#### Ultimatum of President Cosgrove to Irish Rebels

DUBLIN, Feb. 17.—President Cosgrove has issued a last word statement on the peace question declaring the government is determined to "put down this revolt against democracy regardless of cost."

"Let no man be deceived," the statement continues, "if anyone continues the unnatural war upon his own people after the expiration of the period stated in the amnesty (tomorrow) he must be prepared to pay the penalty in full. There will be no going back on this."

"It must also be clearly understood," the statement recites, "that there will be no meeting for negotiations between the government and Liam Lynch, De Valera, or any of their collaborators in destruction."

#### CAMP BUILDING AT DOME MOUNTAIN IS STARTED THIS WEEK

TELKWA, Feb. 17.—A crew of men has left Telkwa for Dome Mountain to begin the construction of a camp there for the Federal Mining & Smelting Co. which recently acquired the gold mine there. Henry Lees, the engineer who arrived last week, is directing the work.

#### ESSEN TO BE IN DARKNESS

Employees of Light Plant Decide to Cut Off Electricity as Reprisal to Punishment of Directors

ESSEN, Feb. 17.—Employees of the municipal electric works have decided to cut off Essen's supply of electricity as a reprisal for the imposition of a five million marks fine on Director Bushman of the local plant as a punishment for interference with the supply for the Kaiserhof Hotel where French engineers are stationed.

#### ESTIMATES REDUCED FOR COMING SEASON

OTTAWA, Feb. 17.—The main estimates presented to the House of Commons by Hon. W. S. Fielding total \$427,544,235 compared with the total estimates last year of \$479,474,391. The main estimates last year were \$466,983,559.

#### FOOTBALL RESULTS ENGLISH LEAGUE.

Division I.  
Chelsea 0, Arsenal 0.  
Aston Villa 6, Stoke 0.  
Liverpool 3, Blackburn Rovers 0.  
Tottenham 0, Bolton Wanderers 1.  
Burnley 2, Manchester City 0.  
Notts Forest 3, Cardiff City 2.  
Middlesboro 2, Everton 4.  
Preston N. E. 1, Huddersfield 0.  
Oldham A. 0, Sunderland 0.  
Sheffield U. 7, Birmingham 1.  
Newcastle U.—West Bromwich A. game not played.

Division II.  
Bury 2, Notts County 2.  
Clapton Orient 3, Crystal Palace 1.  
Coventry City 2, Bradford City 1.  
Leeds United 0, Wednesday 0.  
Manchester United 0, Derby 0.  
Port Vale 0, Southampton 0.  
Rotherham City 1, Fulham 3.  
South Shields 2, Leicester City 1.  
Stockport 1, Hull City 1.  
West Ham 0, Barnsley 0.  
Wolverhampton 3, Blackpool 1.

#### THREE KILLED BURNING HOUSE

Foul Play Suspected in Connection with Deaths at Kennedy, Sask.

KENNEDY, Sask., Feb. 17.—Three bodies were found in the burned home of Jean Ghevion and the police suspect foul play, advancing the theory that robbery was the motive. The dead are Jean Ghevion, Mrs. Ghevion and Miss Schmidt.

A can of coal oil half filled with the cork pulled out was found near the bodies. The window had been broken previous to the fire.

#### TWO BROTHERS IS WRECKED

Went Ashore with Tow on Gabriola Island Near Nanaimo This Week

NANAIMO, Feb. 17.—Shipwrecked on the north shore of Gabriola Island Tuesday night, the "Two Brothers" of Vancouver, Capt. A. X. Balkwill and his brother Bert arrived here last night. In a blinding snowstorm when towing a scow, the tug struck the rocks and was dashed to pieces. They made shore and suffered greatly from exposure before finding the home of Jas. Rowan.

#### TUG MASSETT LOST HER TOW OF LOGS

Million Feet in Raft Which Was Being Brought to Mainland From Cumshewa Inlet

The tug Massett lost another tow of logs in Hecate Straits this week. The raft, which contained about one million feet, was being towed from Cumshewa.

#### SIKI IS TO FIGHT CARPENTIER IN PARIS

PARIS, Feb. 17.—Siki and Carpentier have been matched. Le Temps understands, for a bout in this city next September.

#### MORE SHIPS COMING HERE

Britisher and Inventor Both to Dock Here and Have Annual Survey

Word has been received here that the two big Canadian Government Merchant Marine vessels Canadian Britisher and Canadian Inventor are to come here to dock for their annual overhaul and survey. The Britisher is to be here March 2 and the Inventor following closely.

The Canadian Britisher is one of the vessels that was built in the local shipyards and it will be a welcome sight to see her returning to her home port. The Inventor is of the same class.

#### LEAGUE HOCKEY

Western Canada League  
Calgary 3, Regina 2, at Regina.

Edmonton's Tour  
Edmonton 0, Victoria 4, at Victoria.