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# LABOR AND LIBERAL MEMBERS ROUNDLY ABUSE BALDWIN FOR ELECTION

# British Opposition Members are Angry at Having to Fight Another Election at Dictates of Baldwin

the government to hold an immediate election is manifest on BRIDGE OVER every side. The views expressed by the press publicly indicate the idea that the election is extremely unpopular. The government's supporters reluctantly acquiesce while their political opponents are disgusted and resentful. Some of the comments are vicious and Premier Baldwin is charged variously with unexampled levity, shabby manoeurving, trickiness, and with hav- Good Progress Made with Subing tapsed from the traditional honor and decency of public'

There is no doubt but the Liberals, Labor members and Socialists are very angry.

# NO DECREASE IN JAPANESE:

Canners Complain of Being Injured by Reduction Last Year and Protest

HAS WORKED WELL

Lapointe Expects Close Season on Hallbut to go Into Force Next Year

OTTAWA, Nov. 14-The policy of gradual exclusion of Japanese fishermen from the fisheries of British Columbia is working very well, Hon. Ernest Lapointe stated on his return from a tour of the Pacific coast. He said the can- PRISON AND LASHES neries represented to him that if was doing injury to them as the white fishermen were not working as hard as the Japanese. He had been waited on by the canners of B.C., who stated that the remedy for the situation was the readmission of Japanese fishermen to full privileges.

ther reduction had been decided upon. He intimated that the canners had made strong repre- Angeles in a stolen car. sentations against any further reduction this year.

Speaking of the halibut industry. Mr. Lapointe said there would be no close season during the present year but he was con- Vancouver Longshoremen's Strike fident the United States congress would pass legislation to bring into effect the agreement with Canada.

Urges Assessment Toward Funds: Pritchard Anticipates Defeat With Threat

special meeting last hight voted No action was taken. as possible and invited all or- was fair. ganized labor men to contribute half a day's pay per week to the SOMEBODY TRIED TO strike fund.

At a special mass meeting here Sunday to discuss the situation W. A. Pritchard, representing the

# BARRISTER DIES

Livingstone, a prominent local prit away but was unable to es- Vancouver and wayports, is due Ald. Perry moving to that effect. er Albatross disposed of 32,006 course, mutual helpfulness, and ing to do with the subsequent barrister died here aged 58. He tablish identity beyond the fact to arrive on time this afternoon was born in Hamilton, Ontario that she knew it was a man. 'at 3 o'clock.

# YESTERDAY FIRST ANNIVERSARY OF

PUBLIC LIBRARY

Yesterday was the first anniversary of the opening of the public library here and it was marked by the receipt of a handsome donation of \$25 from the Adair Carss Chapter.

The librarian reports that 31,105 books have been issued during the and that there are present 1350 active members of the library.

total of 24 years imprisonment side of the river. Work on the and forty lashes was the sentence approach from the south side is pronounced by Magistrate Shaw well advanced and two weeks Last year there was a reduction in the police court on Stanley should see it finished. of 40 per cent in the number of Jones and Harry McDermott, About forty men are working licenses issued to Japanese, Mr. young lads who pleaded guilty to on the bridge construction and Lapointe said, but so far no fur- robbing gas stations here. The they are losing no time on the sentences will run concurrently. job. A donkey engine, two

# LABOR COUNCIL IS TO STAGE BANQUET

Situation Discussed Last Night But No Action Taken

Ross Mackay.

house by means of a rear win-cultural pursuits. dow at 1.15 in the morning. The

# SKEENA RIVER

structure at Little Canyon, Terrace

# ROAD WELL ADVANCED

Favorable weather this fall! has permitted work to proceed much more rapidly than had been expected on the sub-structure of the big bridge across the Skeena River at Terrace and, if it continues, Hanson & Shockley, who have the contract for the building of the piers and approaches, should be done their job by Christmas. C. for J. Coughlan & Co., of Vancouver, who have the contract for the sleek superstructure, to start their work. If the present rate of progress is maintained the bridge will be ready for traffic next summer.

Work on the substructure ed there. Five of the seven piers for the bridge are now and work on the sixth, which is based on a rock in Little Canyon, has started. This will be the largest pier and the most difficult of construction. VANCOUVER, Nov. 14. - A seventh pier is on the railway

The boys motored from Los steam boiters and two concrete mixers are included in the equipment. Gravel is taken from an island in the river by a barge in tow of a gasoline boat to the mixers. E. H. Shockley is per-Mackenzie timekeeper.

Road Construction It was decided by the Trades The road connecting Terrace city. The matter was brought for spruce squares. Hemlock & Labor Council last night to with the bridge-a distance of forward by Ald. Collart in the boards for export to Japan are hold a banquet early in Decem- about one mile-is well advanc- course of a discussion which getting \$26,50 and spruce boards. Objects of Society are Self Im- provincial governments and BACKS STRIKE was delegated to take charge: another month. It will be a fine from the city council of Kam
James Black, chairman; J. J. wide highway and there is a loops requesting the city to for
Gillis, S. D. Macdonald and T. ber. The following committee ed and should be finished in followed the recipt of a letter \$24.50. An increase in prices is Gillis, S. D. Macdonald and T. great deal of heavy rock at the ward to the government its ap- Railway freight rates for the B.C. Gazette advertises ence is to inform the provincial ate in cost.



Miss Irene Pergantis of Atlanta, Georgia, won the honor of being named the prettiest girl in her state, which at that, claims to have a "few beauties."

# Then everything will be ready Swiss Immigrants Arrive at Terrace and are Looking for Land While Working in Camps

Eighteen young Swiss immigrants reached Terrace last started from the south side of past three months in the harvest fields. Their intention is ulti- GOOD BEGINNING IS mately to take up land, conditions at Terrace being more like their native surroundings than on the prairies. Four of them have left for Vancouver but the remaining fourteen have found work for the winter, some being employed on government road work and some by George Little. They seem to be quite satisfied with their surroundings although, being quite young and inexperienced, they are apt to become discouraged. The people have, however, been assisting them in every way possible

to Draft Resolution for Submission to Victoria

The city council last night inand M. J. McNeill of this city is to draft a resolution for subhis foreman. Rolf Walker is mission to Victoria asking that engineer on the job and W. L. steps be taken at once by the provincial government towards building the road out of this

the finest in the province, it is In submitting the proposal considered somewhat higher than and practice of agriculture by said, and the people in that dis- that the city coucil should take it should be. "there will be hell before we give gain entry to the Catholic priests' duce of those engaged in agri- vent the work being proceeded \$25.20. with immediately. Accordingly it was decided to have the fi- Only one halibut boat offered behalf in the matters incidental company claimed that Olsen's

Subscribe for the Daily News. Cold Storage Co. at 150 and 90. Ito make new settlers welcome. cent commission

Committee Instructed But Interior Mills Feel Further Reductions Due in Export Freight Rates

Prices paid for hemlock and spruce lumber exported to Japan sonally supervising the work structed the finance committee through this port are making the business profitable for mel operators in the district. At the present time \$27.50 per thousand is being paid for hemlock squares OONA RIVER TO HAVE f.o.b. Prince Rupert and \$25.50

north end. There will be an proval of the Fraser River lumber from Terrace are \$3.63 the formation of the Oona River and transportation officials of The Vancouver longshoremen's overhead approach to the bridge route for the trans-provincial per thousand for hemlock and Farmers' Institute. It is to be the steps taken or proposed by strike situation was discussed on the railway side. The work highway in the south. The re- \$3.08 for spruce and from Royal located at Oona River, Porcher the federal government to secure and information was submitted is proceeding by day labor un- quest was acceded to, the coun- Mills, \$4.30 and \$3.75. The in- Island, and the objects of the satisfactory in migrants and also that six men had been killed and der Henry Frank, road foreman, cil having already endorsed this terior mills are hoping that the institute are: VANCOUVER, Nov. 14. - The 87 injured as a result of acci- and its construction, it is said, route, The resolution asking for railway will give further reduc- (a) To improve conditions of migration problems. Trades and Labor Council at a dents due to inexperienced labor, will come well under the estim- the local road will also be sub- tions in rates for export busi- rural life, so that settlement mitted to other municipalities ness. The volume is increasing may be permanent and prosper- COMMISSION ON SALE to support the longshoremen's J. J. Gillis, vice-president, was The new bridge across the in the province for their appro- and over \$100 on a car of lumber ous: strike in British Columbia as far in the chair and the attendance river at Terrace will be one of val.

trict are highly pleased with it up the matter of the local road No. 1 common spruce joists of information and other edualthough they have had to wait with Victoria, Ald. Collart ex- and planks are still being shipped cational methods, and to stim- A-claim made by M. P. Olsen ENTER PRIESTS' HOUSE a long time for a connection pressed the opinion that, since from Terrace to the Eastern ulate, interest by exhibitions, for \$600 commission in connect. with the Lakelse side. A great the negotiations with the Grand States, and are fetching from prizes, and other means; Yesterday morning Bishop E. volume of traffic will pass over Trunk Pacific Development Co \$48.50 to \$50 per thousand f.o.b. (c) To arrange on behalf of of the schooner Chief Skugaid Longshoremen, said the strikers M. Bunoz notified the city police the river including much timber had been completed, there were New York and the freight rate its members for the purchase, by the Canadian Fish & Cold may possibly be defeated but that someone had attempted to besides the supplies and pro- no obstacles remaining to pre- from Terrace to New York is distribution, or sale of com- Storage Co. to Capt. R. Perry was

> housekeeper was in the room at C.N.R. steamer Prince George nance committee draft the re- at the Fish Exchange this to agricultural pursuits: option for purchase of the vespounds to the Candian Fish & the diffusion of knowledge, and sale. Olsen claimed five per

# Unable to Administer the Occupied Provinces BERLIN, Nov. 14. - After an all-day session the Federal Government admits it is unable to continue to administer the Ruhr and Rhineland and issues a statement saying it must leave

German Government is

these sections to their own devices and to the tender mercies of the army of occupation. The situation throughout Germany is quiet. The return of the ex-crown prince to the bosom of his family in Silesia has

apparently little affected the populace. Dutch authorities indignantly deny that they have connived

at the return of the ex-kaiser to Germany. He is still at Doorn Castle.

# LUMBER SHIPMENT BEING ASSEMBLED WILL BE LARGE ONE

For the next C.G.M.M. steamer to come here to + Alleged load for the Orient, there is already 384,715 feet of and hemlock squares and boards lying on the dock. The vessel is not now expected much. before December 15 and by that time there will be + 800,000 or 900,000 feet ready for shipment.

A good beginning has been made toward raising funds for where he was arrested. furnishing the projected children's ward at the hospital. At Scranton jail five years ago, last night, Miss Macdonald, the guards. regent, in the chair, there was a According to the police, Delmeeting of Hill 60 Chapter I. O. fino is said to admit his iden-D. E. at which it was reported tity. He is held here pending that the net proceeds of the re-the arrival of officers from cent bazaar amounted to \$175. Scranton. In all something like six or seven hundred dollars is needed for this purpose as it is proposed to furnish the ward well.

Plans are being made for a tea toward the same fund to be held early in December and preliminary arrangements are in hand for the big annual New Year Representatives of Governments

provement and Co-operation in Business

lectures, essays, the circulation

modities, supplies, or products, dismissed in the Court of Appeal and generally to act on their at Vancouver last week. The

VANCOUVER, Nov. 14.—Stuart the time and frightened the cul- Capt. W. S. Morehouse, from solution, Ald. Macdonald and morning. The American schoon- (d) To promote social inter- sel had expired and he had noth-

# : POLICE SECURE

Blackhand Who Escaped from Scranton, is Taken

ARRESTED AT NELSON

Got Away from Jall as Electric Chair Awaited Him Five Years Ago

VANCOUVER, Nov. 14.-Under police escort, securely handcuffed, Dominic Delfino, alias Kenneth Munroe, alleged blackhand murderer wanted at Seranton. Pennsylvania, where he escaped from prison on the eve of the date set for electrocution for murder, was brought here from Nelson, B.C.,

In making his escape from meeting in St. Andrew's Hall Munro shot and wounded four

and Transportation Companies Meeting Today

OTTAWA, Nov. 14. - A con-TARMERD INDITIULE ference on immigration attendeds by officials of the federal and ocean and railroad transportation companies opened this morning. The object of the conferto gain closer knowledge of im-

# OF SCHOONER SKUGAID DISALLOWED BY COURT

tion with the sale on April 5 last