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for the north coast. the burning building.

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## STILL

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the Dominion governe C.P.R. and C.N.R.

#### fe After Plane Into Seas

HAGEN - Eleven perre rescued from a large er plane that crashed sea at Copenhagen yes-All passengers and crew s were reported well afexperience.

### ESIA VICTIM OT B. C. MAN

ON O - Scotland Yard ay that the man believ. be a Canadian amnesia who has been discharged eatment in hospital, has ntfied as an Englishman of William Evans, who serva short time with the

Mary Jose of Vancouver ly expressed hope that might be her son, who Athona o return from the war. Aumaque

MOCHEDULES

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tigese docked at

The Union

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blanket of rain, but no damage was reported eity this morning.

Rainfall ouring the 24 hours MAINTAINING SCHEDULES

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stood the storm, as did power and light cables. Telegraph and

Local telephone lines with -

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S STUDENTS PI OTEST "RACIAL DISCRIMINATION" - Chanting slogans are carrying placards which speak for themselves, s = a students of the University of Chicago take an unscheduled recess from lasses to stage a two-hour demonstration at the university's ho pitals, clinics and medical schools. Two professoz sors of the factulty made speeches in sympathy with the spirit o of the demons ration. An estimated 1,000 students took part.

## Added Costs Cut Railway Reven Les, C.N. Head Says

Increas ed Traffic Offset by Expenses, R. C. Vaughan Asserts

MONTR EAL-The Second World War ended more hantwo years ago but it continues to exert powerful BOMBS is influences to some our econormy. Nowhere are these in- his home state of Wisconsin unnow is regarded as "undeclared twice monarch of his country. Who slew four relatives before the was not quite six when he killing himself, was arrested. the racial disorders in the Holy who have the start of Propose the start by bedets in the Holy total Rail ays president, said Monday in a revnew During the past 12 months, the tinue the sale of transportation Run Supplies of 1947 bus I ness.

re road in Northern Almsh source said the bomb was probably hurled by hurled by hurled by hurled said the as an unpreceder ed high level will attle was touched off members of the Irgun Zvai Leu- Adobably hurled by b d be reflected In the receipt of o "barrel bombs" were mi a lewish underground or- of the legun Zvai Leu- larger gross revenues by the rom a speeding car ganization which yesterday had help underground or- Canadian National Railways Sys-00 Arab laborers waiting blasted and machine-gunned by spech yesterday had tem than in a year peace-time year main gate to the works. Arabs at the Damascus gate in my machine-gunned in its history \_\_\_\_ These revenues Mag Camascus gate in will total approximately \$436. -883,000. After the payment of estine death toll since the Uni- operating experating expenses, the net revg the bomb attack, ted Nations rote for partition orm lapool since the Uni- enues, while amounting to the of infuriated Arabs November 29 to 478. Throughouth Not te for partition on | = | substantial S = m of \$39,031,000 (before interest) will be lower

The reason for this can be simply expressed in two words "rising costs," Mr. Vaughan said. Among these are payrolls which. across the system, amounted to \$22.184,603 m = re in 1947 than in 1946. Prices waich had to be paid for railway naterials showed an over-all aver see rise of 12.8 per

lines, the company had to com-

General materials 50.6 Track ties Other forest products . Such costs, all of which it is

beyond railway management's power to control, indicate no tendency to decline. Indeed, they show no indication of remaining stationary, he asserted. The pressure continues to be upward the Canada Shipping Act with FIVE MEN FEARED DEAD IN PLANE weather is expected on Wednesten to be upward the Canada Shipping Act with FIVE MEN FEARED DEAD IN PLANE weather is expected on Wednesten to be upward to and proof of this is in the fact delaying the sailing of their that the company is currently ships from B.C. ports. faced with demands for in- The eight-officer complement creases in wages which, if grant- of the Seaboard Pioneer, docked ed in full, would add \$90,000,000 at Vancouver, and Capt. T. Quinn per year to the payroll of the and seven officers of the Sea-Canadian National.

services at enforced ceilings es-

come from all sources will be

meet all of its fixed charges and

Rapidly rising material prices

and wages, Mr. Vaughan declar-

the principal expenditures are:

tablished roughly 25 years ago. Into Besieged

insufficient for the company to Konitsa City meet all of its fixed charges and

the system is faced in some of city over a snowy mule trail.



TO TREAT MY WIFE TO DINNER AT THE CIVIC CENTRE DINING ROOM AT LEAST ONCE A WEEK DURING 1948.

CIVIC CENTRE DINING ROOM

4.20

# Paves Way for Soviet Control

## Wallace To Run For President

CHICAGO P-Henry Wallace ays he will run as an independent candidate for the Presidency in 1948. In a platform address here he declared: "A greater menace than ever before can be met and overcome by a new political alignment, requiring the organization of a new political party. To that end I announce my candidature."

U. S. FOREIGN POLICY Wallace catapulted the foreign

policy into the United States presidential campaign by em- ment of India has decided to re- cated in the interest of the peo- WOMAN IN MASS barking on the first serious third fer the Kashmir issue to the ple. party effort since 1924, amid security council of the United He explained that changes in Democratic jeers and fears and Nations. Republican cheers.

pelled American relations with formed of the decision after a Russia into the race as an is- meeting of the Indian cabinet sue. Politicians were almost this afternoon. even a smaller chance of being security council is understood to elected than the late Robert M. refer particularly to Moslem LaFolette Sr., who carried only Pakistan's participation in what

Outer Forces Still Intact

fences were intact.

CHARGED UNDER

two Canadian deep sea vessels

board Star, docked at Port Al-

It is understood that the other

RANGOON, Burma, (P) - U.

Saw, pre-war premier of Burma,

today was sentenced to death by

a special tribunal which con-

victed him of abetting the mur-

der of U. Aung San and another

Burmese minister last July.

and sentenced to die.

agriculture or fishing.

five owners are considering simi-

Former Premier

Of Burma to Die

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#### JOHNSON NEW B. C. PREMIER

House ceremony on Monday, became British Columbia's Premier, succeeding John Hart who retired.

Lieut. Governor Charles Banks administered the oaths of allegiance, secrecy and office to Johnson and eight other cabinet members. Mrs. Johnson and Byron jr. attended.

#### United Nations Council to Study Kashmir Problem

NEW DELHI ()-The govern-

Pakistan and other dominion Wallace's announcement pro- representatives in Delhi were in-

unanimous that Wallace has Hindu India's report to the ernment. neighboring country."

### FRANCE AGREES TO INTERIM AID PARIS. - The French cabinet

today authorized Foreign Min-

ed, are a serious threat to the ATHENS, —Using grenades, welfare of railway industry in bayonets and knives, Greek than the agreement will mean and again. Canada. In 1947 payroll and ma- troops punched a small hole in than \$300,000,000.

#### terials cost the Canadian Na- the guerrilla siege ring around FORESEES GREAT tional Railways in excess of the battered city of Konitsa in \$100,000,000 more than they Northern Greece today, and im-OIL FIELDS IN would have cost at 1939 rates. mediately started a trickle of The increased costs with which supplies into the beleaguered CANADIAN PLAINS

Military authorities declared (Figures shown indicate per- the town, which had been vir- tion that Western Canadian II followed by Soviet influence centage of increase 1947 over tually isolated since Christmas, plains may become the site of taught him that no Balkan monwas still in the hands of nation- "hundreds upon hundreds" of arch could rule without a foral forces and that outer de- rich oil fields as yet undiscov- eign hand on the sceptre-Balered went on the record of the kan territory is too strategic. geologists.

VANCOUVER, O-Officers of not be.

The vessels, owned by the Sea- crashed B-29 are back safely today through the hero-

wage agreement with the ship Seward Peninsula, 95 miles to the north.

## Communistic Cabinet VICTORIA (CP) - Byron Proclaims Country As. Democratic Republic

King Michael Abdicating in the Interests Of the People, Now Free to Choose Own Form of Government

BUCHAREST (CP)—King Michael abdicated today and the Communist-dominated cabinet immediately declared Romania was a "popular Democratic republic." He is the second living monarch of Romania to abdicate.

In a broadcast proclamation, ARREST YOUNG King Michael said he had abdi-

teration in the constitution, and he would not stand in the way! of the people, who must be free to choose their own form of gov-

#### TWICE ON THRONE

first succeeded to the throne last night. upon the first abdication of his The young woman is held on father, Carol II. The latter re- a charge that she is incorrigible. nounced his rights rather than She will appear in court togive up his love affair with the morrow. auburn-haired Mme. Lupescu.

Three years later Carol recon- Secretary to Hart ister Bidault to sign an agree- sidered his abdication and esment under which France will cended to the throne. In 1940 Given New Position receive interim aid voted by the Carol abdicated and once more VICTORIA - Percy Richards, United States Congress pending Michael was king. The young private secretary to John Hart Greek National Forces Claim implementation of the Marshall monarch, then 19, wept bitterly since 1934, has been appointed plan for construction of Europe. When his father fled, crying out assistant to the deputy minister The agreement will mean aid that he did not want to be king of railways for B.C.. James

perience the truth of Bismarck's neers engaged during the conobservation that "a Romanian struction of the Grand Trunk is not a nationality but a pro- Pacific Railway through Central fession."

#### FOREIGN CONTROL

Years of dominion by German OTTAWA ()—The flat predic- sympathizers during World War

international gathering here of Michael learned also that in localities. A Pacific storm apaddition to being strategic his proaching the coast has brought The forecast came from Dr. own realm was too richly en- rain and strong winds to the A. I. Levorsen, professor of Stan- dowed with economic assets-oil northern coastal regions this ford University in California, and grain, coal and wood, the morning. Rain is expected to who told nearly 600 Canadian Danube, a Black Sea harbor and reach the southern mainland ad American geologists it is "in- Carpathian Mountain passes-to this afternoon and scattered conceivable" that this should escape the close interest of great snow flurries will occur in the powers.

SIX OF EIGHT MEMBERS OF

WRECKED SUPERFORT SAFE

NOME (CP)-Six of eight crew members of the

Eskimo village 50 miles north. between now and July 31, 1948.

# Romania made necessary an al- SLAYING CASE

Storm Centre Charged as Incorrigible

KITCHENER, Ont. (P-Nineteen-year-old Eleanore Springer, sole survivor of Sunday's mass slaying at nearby West Montrose, who told a terrified story or King Michael, 26 years old, was being held captive by a man

King Michael learned from ex- Stewart was one of the engiand Northern British Columbia.

#### THE WEATHER

Synopsis

Temperatures returned to normal and winter again touched the interior of B.C. as the mercury registered 15 to 20 degress of frost at several interior central and northern interior today. Continued unsettled weather is expected on Wednes-CRASHES IN NORTHLAND WASTES interior as the Pacific air moves across the province.

#### Forecast

Northern B.C.-Overcast with intermittent snow today. Cloudy with scattered snow flurries tonight. Cloudy Wednesday. Little change in temperature. Low tonight and high Wednesday at board Shipping Co. Ltd., are two ism of two Alaska bush pilots, but five other men are Telegraph Creek 10 and 20.

of seven ships tied up at B.C. still missing and feared dead in the frigid wastes of Queen Charlottes and North ing intermittent during the morning. Cloudy with showers parachute team that leaped to FOR U.S. WHISKY southeast 30, gusty, shifting to Little change in temperature. Low tonight and high Wednesday at Port Hardy, 35 and 46; Massett 33 and 45; Prince Rupert 35 and 43.

#### EXTRA POLICE DUTY

VANCOUVER - Two hundred additional policemen will be on duty in Vancouver New Year's

> U. F. A. W. U. New Year's Eve DANCE Oddfellows' Hall

#### Bodies of two men, thought to be members of the three-man RATIONING GRAIN tonight and Wednesday. Winds the aid of the stricken fliers Sat-

WASHINGTON (P) - Agriculurday night, are believed to ture Secretary Anderson today have been sighted less than 500 ordered United States whisky yards from the scene of the manufacturers to ration grain for food.

A driver and dog team will This compares with the average make an attempt to locate them use of about 5,000,000 bushels : month during the first 10 An extensive search also will months of this year. The order be continued for the pilot and is effective midnight tonight. Eight others accused of the navigator of the superfortress. Anderson has prohibited the

same case also were convicted Neither has been seen since they use of wheat under the grain alset out together Christmas night, location. 48 hours after the big ship plow- Acting under authority of the FARMERS AND FISHERMEN | ed into the side of a low hill newly-signed anti-inflation act, About fourth-fifths of the They told the rest of the crew the secretary limited grain use population of Bulgaria live by that they would seek aid at an by distillers to 2,450,000 bushels Dancing 10 - 2 Admission \$1