# nited Nations Reaches Its Most Critical Stage

## nce Rupert-Vancouver MIGRATION vice Being Speeded Up; EN MASSE n to Alaska Extended

licating the increased importance that is being from England to Canada will be ed to the need of improved and extended steam- proposed to the government by ervice from Prince Rupert to Vancouver as well Hon. George Wadsworth, Britm here to Alaska, Union Steamships Ltd. today ish M.P., now in the city. meed the inauguration two weeks hence by the "Our population is fifty mil-Camosun of a direct 36-hour service both lion and keeps increasing. This

tween here and Vancouver and only answer to all this is to stop The direct 36-hour run from

Vancouver to Prince Rupert will be brought about by eliminat- Jury Blames ing the call now being made at | | | ouver, O-Vancouver, leaving Vancouver 9 o'clock Wood Coaches, and New Westminster | Wednesday nights, will arrive | railwaymen will strike here at 9 o'clock Friday mornek officials of the Street ings. After discharging her men's Union announced passengers and cargo here, she w. They said that the re- will sail at 2 p.m. Friday for the government-super- Ketchikan, arriving there at rike vote taken under 9:30 p.m. and leaving that port among the membership at 11:45 for Petersburg where day showed 83 per cent she is due to arrive at 10 a walk-out. The total o'clock Saturday morning. as 2537 with 2126 voting Leaving Petersburg at 11 a.m. holiday special piled head-on date of the Vancouver at Wrangell 2:30 p.m., leaving ental train with loss of thirtyt will be set at a mass there 3:30 p.m. Returning to one lives. Saturday midnight. The Ketchikan for a brief call at ties will set their strike 11:45 p.m. and arriving back in date at theweek-end or Prince Rupert 8:30 a.m. Sunday, the ship will sail from here there appears to be at 2 o'clock that afternoon and ospect today of the parrive at Vancouver 7 a.m. Tues-

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PASSENGERS

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donal narcotics ring the north."

In Vancouver

xt week.

d they were still willing Making the announcement to tiate but only on the the Daily News from Vancouver this morning on behalf of ednesday morning or a the general manager, G. A. Mc-Bean, G. R. Rushton, traffic ening as it moved into Alberta manager of the Union Company, this morning. However, a sec- Ca said that the concern had every ond disturbance now approachconfidence that the support for ing the Washington and Orethe new service emanating from gon coast is causing rain on the Prince Rupert and southeastern west coast of Vancouver Island Alaska would fully justify its and cloudy skies with scattered institution. "We are hopeful, showers over the southern too, that it will be conducive mainland. to the speeding up business There will be some clearing on generally and developing new the mainland during the late COUVER (CP)-Ex- business for Prince Rupert, the afternoon but generally unseted waterfront observers capital of the north. We are tled weather is expected to conay night said they be- happy to be able to announce tinue through Saturday. The Vancouver might be the setting of this new line for entire coastal areas will remain

mounties announced newly announced service are all areas. gure of 415 pounds of the direct runs both north and band opium with black southbound between Vancouver Prince Rupert, Queen Char- Oilsvalue of \$4,648,000. and Prince Rupert and the in- lottes and North Coast- Overral value is over \$46,000. stitution for the first time of cast with showers today, beseizure, described as Petersburg as a regular port of coming cloudy tonight. Cloudy the largest hauls ever in North America" was

### er Manoeran Thursday Vancouver dry dock. was found concealed L.L. and crew consists of Dutch and Indian seamen.

Another Row at Toronto Convention Over Affiliation With C. C. F.

vancouver (Thursday) -Mr. and Mrs. J. tical fight broke out yesterday urday. Widely scattered snow Merritt, J. Torback at the Canadian Congress of flurries Saturday. Wind light. Labor convention over the ques- Little change in temperature. sandspit\_L. Duncon, G. tion of affiliation with the Co- Low tonight and high Saturday Holland, Mr. Crosoperative Commonwealth Fed- at Telegraph Creek, 32 and 50. McGee, G. R. Emblton. ancouver-W. Dowswell, eration. It was the third such controversy of the week.

andspit-H. V. Tattersal, The new political debate followed two in which the issue gory, Mrs. E. Christian of Communism was fought out with the Congress eventually denouncing Red imperialism Vet Housing Union Steamship Co. and interference in the unions.

liners are due in port day. The Camosun, Capt. over a resolution to continue the today, approunced a new deal McLean, is arriving at 3 C.C.L.'s endorsation of the C.C. today, announced a new deal om Vancouver and Ocean F. as "recognized political mediand will sail at midnight um" for Canadian labor.

McCoomb, is due at 7:15 C.C.L., spoke in favor of the re- 12,000 new units for 1948 is set. an hour the south and solution. Harold Pritchett, pre- Terms will be more favorable turn to Trust solution and solution. Harold Pritchett, preto Vancouver and Woodworkers of America, led four, five and six-room houses the opposition and advocated a will range from \$27 to \$37 per "federated labor party." Alex month. McAuslane of Vancouver oppos- The program for 1947 under erritory 30,000 square ed the Pritichett suggestion of Wartime Housing, discontinued ritory in Norway. a new labor party.

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Is Recommended By British M.P. Now On Visit to Canada

OTTAWA-Mass emigration of

northbound and southbound be- is more than we can feed. The the extension of the present building new towns in my counweekly Ketchikan run to include try and build them near the the ports of Petersburg and sources of great natural wealth.

WINNIPEG (P-Use of wooden constructed, gas-lit coaches was held last night by a coroner's jury to have added greatly to the death toll at Dugland, Manitoba, last September 1 when Canadian National Railways' Saturdays, the vessel will arrive into an eastbound transcontin-

> Non-observance of railway rules by those in charge of the special were said by the jury to have been the specific cause of the mishap, the greatest in Canadian railroading history.

## THE WEATHER

Synopsis

Yesterday's storm was weak-

dributing centre for an coastal transportation service to cloudy with widespread shower activity. Skies will be clear tonight in the central interior. Principal features of the Temperatures will be normal in

Forecast

call by Canadian coastal vessels. Saturday becoming overcast in afternoon. Intermittent rain Saturday night. Winds southerly, 15 miles per hour, increasing to southeasterly, 25 miles per hour, High on Saturday afternoon. Little change in temperature. Lows Low tonight and highs Saturday: Port Hardy 45 and 57, Massett 46 and 57, Prince Rupert 43 and

Northern B.C.-Clear, becoming cloudy during the after-TORONTO, A new poli- noon. Cloudy tonight and Sat-

VANCOUVER (P-Reconstrucing of low-rental housing units chikan. The Catala, Capt. A. R. Mosher, president of the for war veterans. A target of McCoomb

June 1, called for 8,000 units.



AS JEWS PICKETED EMPIRE BALL-Members of the Jewish organization, Brith Trumpeldor, are shown during a mass demonstration at the 7th Regiment Armory, in New York, while the Associated British Empire Societies held their ball in honor of the Royal Navy. The demonstration was staged to protest against

the treatment of Jewish refugees by the British government.

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Saturday, October 11, 1947		Pickle Crow	
h 11:24		Regcourt	
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v 5:01		Senator Rouyn	THE RESERVE

LEFT WING REBUFFED TORONTO - The Canadian down a proposal to change the system of voting at conventions. Supported by some left wing elements, the proposed system would have given some of the anti-administration unions greater voting strength than at present.

PEARSON RESIGNING

VICTORIA-The News--Herald, in a special dispatch from Victoria, said that the resignation of Hon. George Pearson as minister of labor is expected to be accepted next week and a new minister sworn in. The newspaper said the ministry would probably go either to Premier Hart or Attorney-General Wismer and that Mr. Pearson would continue as provincial secretary and health and welfare min-

FOUR YEARS FOR GERSON OTTAWA - Harold Samuel Gerson of Montreal, 42, former key man of the munitions and supply department, was convicted Thursday night by an Ontario Supreme Court jury in his second trial on a charge of conspiracy to supply confidential information to Russia and was sentenced to four years in prison.

C.N.R. DERAILMENT ASHCROFT-An engine and

as being "not critical."

PICKETING BANNED MONTREAL - Picketing ceased today at two strikebound packing plants here in the wake of an interim injunction restraining officers and organizers of the Packing House Workers of America CIO) from such activity. The companies reopened the plants

yesterday, inviting workers to

return to their jobs at a 5c

per hour wage increase. LEWIS THROWN OUT SAN FRANCISCO-Top American Federation of Labor leaders slapped down a deother vice-presidents of that office in the Federation. Al-

# BULLETINS Russia Refuses to Aid In Greek-Balkan Issue

LAKE SUCCESS (CP)—Faced with angry Congress of Labor today voted Russian-led defiance of a majority decision on the Greek-Balkan issue, the United Nations today reached the most critical stage since the General Assembly opened nearly a month ago. In almost stunned silence, the political committee heard Russia declare she

would not co-operate with a move to send a special commission to bring peace to the Greek border. The action was quickly followed by similar declarations from YugoSlavia, Poland, Czechoslovakia, the Uk-

## SOLARIUM Retiring Commissioner of B.C. raine and White Russia.

Police to be Administrator VICTORIA, (P) —Official an-

TO DIRECT

nouncement was made today of the taking over immediately of Massing on the commissionership of the Massing on British Columbia Police by John Shirras from T. W. S. Parsons who is going on leave until the Column T. W. S. Parsons and Column T. W. S. Parsons end of the month when his retirement will become effective. Changes of inspectors, known to be impending, are not yet announced.

Commissioner Parsons is to

### COMMITTED FOR MANSLAUGHTER

committed for trial on a charge on Palestine began rolling at of manslaughter at a prelimi- midnight and were "manoeuvnary hearing held at Terrace ering" near the frontier. They Thursday before Magistrate Will intend to resist the partitioning Robinson. The charge arose out of Palestine. baggage car of Canadian Ng- of the death on September 16 tional transcontinental train of Mrs. Martha Willie, who suc-No. 3 were detailed three miles cumbed to injuries received DUPLESSIS east of here. Only casualty when struck by a truck T w east of here. Only casualty when struck by a truck. T. W. was Fireman J. W. Gibbons Brown appeared for the crown IS SPEAKER of Kamloops who is in hos- and Roderick MacLeod for IS SPEAKER pital with injuries described Johnson.

Carlessness Should be Pun-

fire losses be placed on those Duplessis of Quebec advise that whose carelessness is respon- "terrific experiments" were in sible, just as it is in cases of progress and "critical times" lay careless and drunken driving, ahead. was made before the Rotary The Quebec Premier, who ad-Club Thursday afternoon by dressed his appeal to Canadians Fire Chief H. T. Lock in a speech to "wake up" to challenge "comcontaining a plea for continual munism, socialism and bolshewatchfulness against fire.

He spoke on the current Fire ter the eighteenth annual meet-Prevention Week, presenting ing had worked out a statement fiant John L. Lewis today by figures which revealed that the of policy concerned with a wide voting to strip him and twelve | cost in lives and property rose range of national issues. substantially in 1946 over 1945, attributing a large part of the increase to carelessness.

though not a "red" sympa- "Insurance companies will not thizer himself, Lewis had re- honor payments in cases of fused to sign an affidavit re- automobile accidents where drunken driving has been proved," he said. "Yet they admit Chicago Fire obligations in cases of fire damage where the loss of a building is a result of a drunken party or carelessness."

During 1946, 408 people died in Canada as a result of fire,

can measure the care, the love, fire officials said the blaze apthe paternal and maternal in- peared to be of incendiary orfluence lost forever to the children of the other 244 victims of

In canada last year, there were 55,400 fires, which caused loss of \$49,500,000, an increase of 11 per cent over previous high records. Losses of over \$4,500,000 were attributed to faulty electrical wiring; \$3,500,000 to carelessness of smokers, a similar men's landing nets before it was amount to overheated equip- torn by the impact of a heavy ment, and \$20,000,000 to un- man. A minute later a woman known causes.

Chief Lock was thanked for was killed. his address by Club President Lee Gordon. Guests at the luncheon meeting were Alan M.

Arabs Ready to Translate Partition Protest Into Armed Action

BEYRUT, Lebanon (P)—Armies take over administration of the of five Arab states started mov-Queen Alexandra Solarium in ing today. Translating into acwhich he has long been inter- tion last night's Arab League resolutions calling on the Arab. world to defend Palestine from Zionism with men and money, a War Office spokesman in Lebanon and Syria said troops of Harry Johnson of Terrace was those two countries bordering

Quebec Premier Exhorts Canadian Chamber of Commerce to Challenge Socialism

QUEBEC, (P)— The Canadian Chamber of Commerce, committed at its annual convention here to a fresh policy declaraishable, in Opinion of Chief tion to support free enterprise and oppose communism and so-Suggestion that the onus for cialism, heard Premier Maurice

vism," spoke to the Chamber af-

Victims of Holocaust On Northwest Side of City Are All Negroes

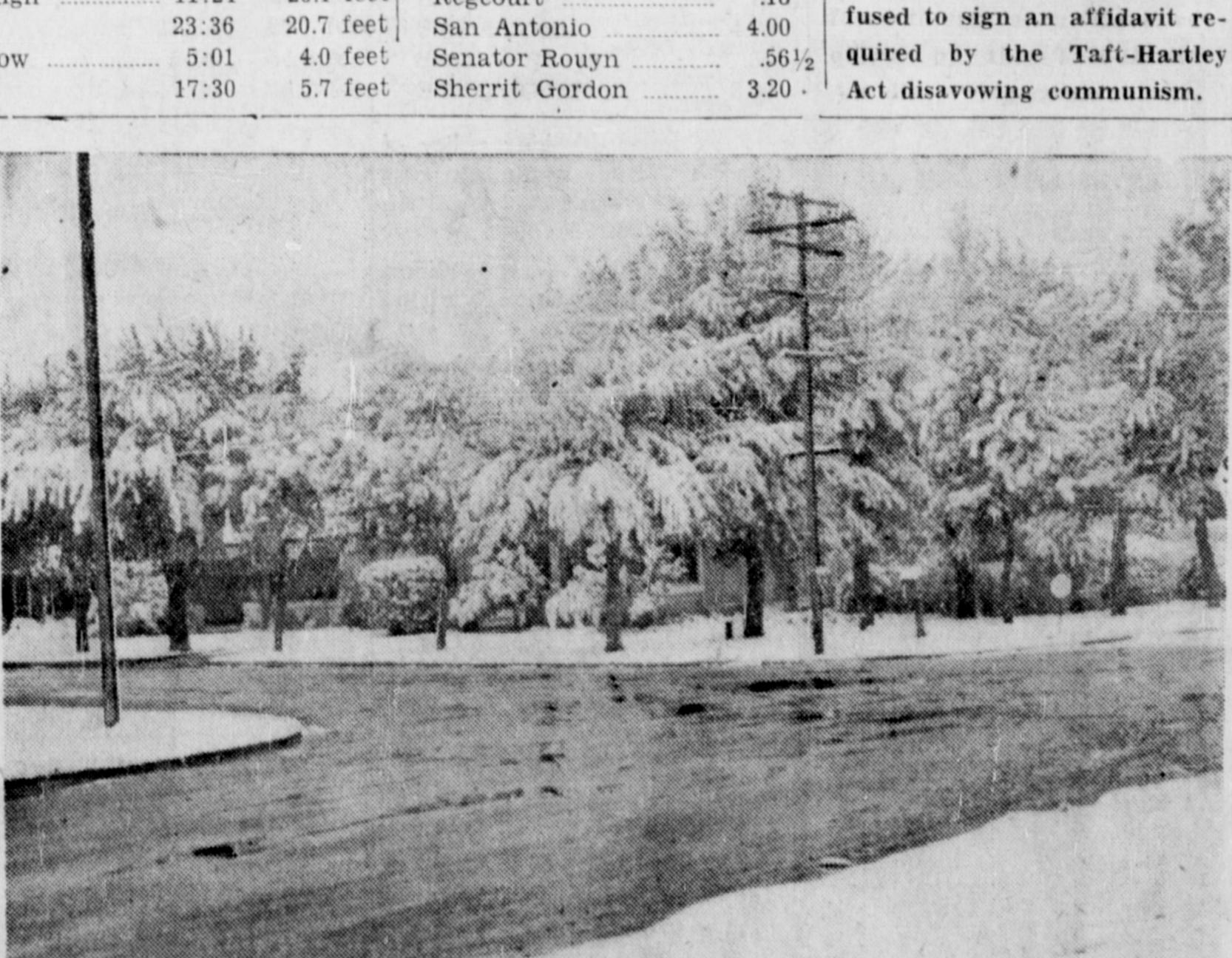
CHICAGO (P) - Ten persons, Chief Lock said. Of these, 164 including six children and four were children, 166 men and 78 women, were killed and more than a dozen others were in-"Who can measure the pain, jured early today in a fire which the anguish and regret of the swept through a crowded fourparents who lost those 164 chil-storey apartment on the city's dren?" he queried. "And who near northwest side. Police and igin. All the dead and injured were negroes. Fourteen of the injured are in hospital.

> One woman was killed and four others were injured as they plunged from windows before firemen reached the burning structure.

> Five tenants leaped into firejumped into the torn net and

EARLY FIRE-MAKERS Lenses to focus the rays of Hurst and H. S. Hurn of Vic- the sun were used as early as 424 B.C.





LETHBRIDGE, ALBERTA, STREET SCENE IN SEPTEMBER-While hurricanes rip through southern U.S., Alberta experiences its first snowstorm of the season. Gardens still in bloom were covered by snow and tourists were blocked by impassable roads. Here is a street scene in Lethbridge showing the trees well covered with snow.